WEATHER FORECASTS

The barometer is rising on the Coast, and fair, colder weather is becoming general over this Province. Snow is general throughout the Prairie provinces.

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FRENCH TROOPS ARE TO LEAVE

Sir Austen Chamberlain Goes to Paris to Discuss With M. Briand Terms of Evacuation of German Territory

ALLIES TO RELINQUISH DISARMAMENT CONTROL

Ministers Will Also Consider Conditions on Which Supervision of German Army Will Be Transferred to League

PARIS, Dec. 2.—Sir Austen Chamberlain, British Foreign Secretary, arrived here tonight to confer with Foreign Minister Briand on matters of mutual interest which are likely to come up during the League of Nations Council session in Geneva next week.

The French and British Ministers probably will settle tomorrow the conditions under which the left bank of the Rhine will be evacuated and military control of Germany turned over from the present inter-Allied organization to the League of Nations.

Both Mr. Briand and Sir Austen, it is understood, will press for a solution of the question of German disarmament and the transfer of military control to the League at the forthcoming session of the Council, because the environment of the foreign session, which will be held in Berlin under the Presidency of Dr. Stresemann, the German Foreign Minister, is regarded as unpropitious for the settlement of such a problem.

Foreign Minister Zaleski of Poland also arrived in Paris today, and had a talk with M. Briand in the course of the evening, but the interview is understood to have been a simple exchange of views on matters of general interest.

China and Italy

Among the matters which M. Briand and Sir Austen will discuss tomorrow will be the Chinese situation, in order to determine whether united action is necessary or practicable. It was said today that there is no talk whatever between the European Chancelleries of a prospective recognition of the Cantonese Government, despite its recent military successes.

There is little to bolster reports that the informal conversations of Foreign Ministers, which will be held outside the Council sessions in Geneva, will develop into formal conversations bringing Italy into a discussion of the general situation. There is much of mutual interest, however, it is said, for the British, French and German representatives to talk about.

Canadians Win More Grand Championships In Clydesdale Class

CHICAGO, Dec. 2.—Canada had her best day yet at the International Livestock Exposition as it neared its close, grand championships tumbling her way in great shape.

About everything that was offered in the Clydesdale division went to Saskatchewan. Bonnie Bell, owned by the University of Saskatchewan, took the grand championship, winning thereby the "Scotland Special" medal awarded by Great Britain's Clydesdale society to the winners of the mare and stallion championships here. Besides taking the mare grand championship this afternoon, the Canadians also got the reserve, the prize going to the experimental farm of Indian Head, Sask., on Lady Price.

Seattle Makes Record

SEATTLE, Dec. 2.—With nine persons killed and 315 injured in 1,663 automobile mishaps in Seattle in November, the high period of the year, accidents here for the first eleven months of 1926 had today exceeded those of any previous year.

From the Colonist Tower.

Friday, December 3

337th Day, 1926

THE WEATHER

Victoria and Vicinity: Light to moderate winds, partly cloudy and colder at night.

Sun Rises: 7:47 o'clock.
Sun Sets: 4:20 o'clock.

High Tide: 12:40 p.m., 9.1 feet.
Low Tide: 8:34 p.m., 2.3 feet.

Sport

Hockey result: Canadiens 2, St. Patricks 0.
Hagen loses in four-ball match on Langatra course.

The News

Local and Provincial—
Nineteen candidates in municipal election field.
Mayor will work for industrial expansion.
Radio attachment for telephones, to aid deaf people, is being tested here.
Air mail will continue to be delivered to outbound ships.
Hon. S. F. Tolmie not in position to outline his future course.
Customs inquiry ends here.

Dominion, Imperial and Foreign—
Manchurian dictator becomes commander of all anti-Cantonese armies.
French troops to evacuate Rhineland.
Ontario Liquor Control Act will leave much to Commission.
Imperial defence speeches made at Conference are published.
Boer Nationalist leader declares allegiance to Empire.
Ontario Legislature to meet first week in February.
Canadians win more championships at Chicago.

Boer Nationalist Says Future Lies In British Empire

JOHANNESBURG, South Africa, Dec. 2 — (By Canadian Press via Reuters).—"There is no question now of secession, no question of republicanism, no constitutional question of any kind like that raised in the past," declared Hon. Tielman Roos, Minister of Justice in the South African Government, in a speech last night in which he referred to the recent Imperial Conference in London. "We fully appreciate what has been given us by the British Government," the minister continued.

"The relations now existing between South Africa and the rest of the British Empire are permanent."

Mr. Roos said the Nationalist party, of which Premier J. B. M. Hertzog is leader, was absolutely satisfied with the position of South Africa now, and there would be no alteration therein. The constitutional question, he reiterated, no longer existed.

CUSTOMS INQUIRY CONCLUDES HERE

ATTORNEY-GENERAL MANSON EXPLAINS LIQUOR BOARD'S SYSTEM OF PERMITS

Commission Will Report in Detail Findings in Chris Moeller Case to Governor-General in Council

The Royal Commission investigating the affairs of the Federal Department of Customs and Excise, and inquiring into liquor smuggling operations on the Pacific Coast, concluded its sessions in Victoria yesterday afternoon shortly before 5 o'clock. The Commission will open its hearing at Vancouver today at 10:30 a.m.

The first session of the Commission held in Victoria was last Friday morning. It was originally intended that only three sittings would take place here. However, these plans had to be altered in view of the large amount of evidence and lengthy list of witnesses to be examined here, and the Commission spent one week in Victoria.

More witnesses were examined by the Commission yesterday than during any single day since the body started its sessions here, no less than thirteen persons taking the stand and giving testimony. Mr. George Norris, assistant collector of Customs for the Port of Victoria, was not called to give evidence, Hon. Newton Wesley Rowell, K.C., pointing out that Mr. Norris would be heard during the sessions in the Terminal city.

Attorney-General Explains

Hon. A. M. Manson, Attorney-General for British Columbia, appeared before the Commission and explained the shipping permit which the Liquor Control Board issues. He observed that no liquor could be transported by vessel from one point to another point in the Province without a shipping permit being obtained from the Liquor Board.

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HON. S. F. TOLMIE IS GOING TO OTTAWA

FEDERAL MEMBER LEAVES AFTER BANQUET IN VANCOUVER FOR HOUSE OPENING

Leader of Provincial Conservatives Is Not in Position to Outline His Future Course

Hon. S. F. Tolmie, who has been for the past few days confined to his home suffering from an attack of influenza, left yesterday afternoon for Vancouver, where he was tendered a banquet by his friends during the evening upon the occasion of being selected for the position of leader of the Conservative party in the Province of British Columbia.

Dr. Tolmie will not return to the city, but will leave immediately for the East, to be present at the opening of Parliament on Wednesday of next week.

When questioned before leaving for Vancouver as to whether he had made up his mind yet on the line of action he would pursue relative to seeking a seat in the Legislature, Dr. Tolmie said that he was not as yet able to say anything as to what his course would be.

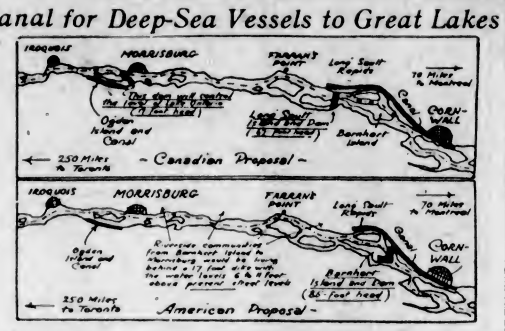
Anxiety is being expressed in some political circles as to what will be the course that Dr. Tolmie will take under the circumstances. To those who know the new leader, there will be confidence felt that he will not be stampeded by anyone in deciding upon his line of action. He will seek his own time in considering the situation, and will take full counsel of his colleagues.

With the leadership of the party in British Columbia thrust upon him unanimously at the convention held in Kamloops, he finds himself in the position of having a double responsibility, being a member of the House of Commons, representing the City of Victoria, and at the same time the provincial leader of the Conservative party.

The leadership was conferred upon him by a convention with the full knowledge of the fact that he was a Federal representative and a most important member of the Conservative Opposition in the Canadian House. It is therefore presumed that Dr. Tolmie will take no precipitate action, and pending consultation with his leader at Ottawa and the members of the Opposition there, he will have to defer a definite answer as to what course he shall take.

Members of the Legislature who constitute the Opposition, while anxious to have Dr. Tolmie enter the House as soon as possible, are not inclined to expect that he may be able to take up his duties as leader there for the approaching session. This will not interfere with the work, as the party is well organized for these duties, with an acting House leader, Mr. R. H. Pooley, who has been performing the task with credit for the past two sessions of the present House.

Canal for Deep-Sea Vessels to Great Lakes



THE map above illustrates the two plans of power development on the St. Lawrence River, which have been submitted by the Canadian and United States sections of the joint board of engineers, which studied the project.

Two purposes are to be served: First, the deepening of the water route between the Great Lakes and Montreal, so as to allow deep-sea vessels to go to and leave from lake ports, including Toronto, Buffalo, Detroit and Fort William. Second, the development of the greatest water power yet projected. Iroquois, at the left of the map, is on the St. Lawrence River near the foot of Lake Ontario; and Cornwall, at the right of the map, is a short distance above Montreal.

The United States engineers on the board report in favor of a single high lock; the Canadian engineers are in favor of two locks. The United States plan would cost rather less, but would have the disadvantage of raising the river level above that of bordering lands. The Canadian plan would call for rather larger expenditure, but in addition to avoiding danger of flooding the land along the river, it would secure the regulation of the level of water in Lake Ontario.

Mayor Will Work for Industrial Development

Services of Port Development Expert Should Be Continued, His Worship Will Recommend—Signal Honor Accorded in Second Acclamation

A POLICY of industrial encouragement will be continued by Mayor J. Carl Pendray, re-elected by acclamation yesterday for a third term.

He will recommend to the City Council the extension of the contract with Mr. Roger Pinneo, port development expert, who has been engaged by Victoria to investigate and recommend ways and means by which the facilities of this port may be improved.

These views are enunciated in a statement made to The Colonist subsequent to the closing of nominations yesterday for the mayoralty. For the second year he has been returned to office by acclamation, the last parallel for this unusual honor being in the mayoralty of Mr. Alexander Stewart, who was re-elected unopposed in 1915 and 1916.

Mayor Pendray's statement says:

"While I deeply appreciate the great honor the citizens have bestowed on me by re-electing me by acclamation, I also realize the great responsibility of the duties which I am assuming for a third term.

"My policy for the coming year will be one of industrial expansion.

"Few people in the city of Victoria realize the great possibilities for the development of the port of Victoria as one of the biggest shipping centres in the Dominion. Our geographical situation has placed us on the main highway of commerce and if all the natural advantages we possess are taken full advantage of our waterfront should be a hive of industry, giving a great deal of employment to many of our citizens.

Tax Reduction

"There has been a great deal of discussion recently about the city manager question. While this form of government has a number of good points, I am of the opinion that if a portion of the money it would cost to install the same is spent on a real endeavor to increase the industrial activities of our city and surrounding community, much better and more permanent results will accrue. I do not believe that a city manager could accomplish more than has been done during the last four or five years by the mayor and aldermen, with a policy of 'Pay as you go,' and if the incoming Council will only adhere to this policy, I am firmly of the opinion that our taxes can be greatly reduced; and Victoria will be noted, not only for its beauty and many natural advantages, but as a most desirable city in which to make a home on account of its low tax rate.

"May I issue a word of warning to the candidates for aldermanic honors that the coming year will demand a great deal of their time and that some of the work to which I have been giving my personal attention will have to be assumed by the aldermen, giving me more time to help out in the development of the industrial programme on which we have embarked.

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Ontario Legislature Likely to Be Called First February Week

TORONTO, Dec. 2.—Premier Howard Ferguson, exhausted from his efforts in the election campaign, remained at home today, to sleep and rest and to contemplate quietly the results of the balloting yesterday, on which his party was returned with a majority of thirty-seven seats over all opposition, with the possibility that this figure will be increased to thirty-nine when the final constituency, Manitoulin, reports definitely. At present the Conservatives have seventy-five seats in a house of 112.

The Premier intimated today that after holding a Cabinet meeting next week, to have his Ministers sworn in and to clean up business which has accumulated during the election campaign, he will leave Toronto for a short holiday. He will return to Toronto shortly after Christmas and begin at once his preparations for the session of the Legislature, which is likely to open the first week in February.

Prohibition Agents Make Record Capture

LOS ANGELES, Dec. 2.—A liquor distilling plant with an estimated value of $600,000, described as most extensive and modern, was confiscated, and five men were arrested in the Boyle Heights section of the city, at noon today in one of the biggest raids staged in the West since prohibition became effective, government officials announced tonight.

The plant, capable of turning out 6,000 gallons of liquor every twenty-four hours, was discovered in a four-story warehouse.

Cheap Horses to Go For Food to Europe

REGINA, Dec. 2.—G. Pootmans, of Regina, is proceeding to develop an organization to ship thousands of carcasses of horses in refrigeration to the markets of Europe, particularly to Belgium. Trial shipments during the past season have met with success. It is proposed to utilize the scrub animals for the purpose of selling the meat in Europe and utilizing the by-products here.

Rancher Drowns

QUEEN CHARLOTTE CITY, B.C., Dec. 2.—While endeavoring to repair his disabled gasoline launch off Robinson Island, near here, a rancher named Pinkerton, said to have been a native of New Brunswick, fell overboard yesterday and was drowned.

Axeman Finds Treasure In Old Turkish Coins

SOFIA, Dec. 2.—One stroke of the axe brought undreamed-of wealth to a poor lumberjack, Assen Tholakoff. The lumberman had felled a tree near Tchepchepare, and was cutting up the roots when his axe struck a stone slab covered with Turkish inscriptions. With great difficulty he succeeded in turning over the heavy slab. Under it he found a veritable treasure trove of thousands of old Turkish gold pieces, valued at about $450,000.

OUTWARD AIR MAIL SERVICE TO RESUME

PILOT EDDIE HUBBARD WILL CONTINUE TO DELIVER MAIL TO OUTBOUND SHIPS

Slight Alteration in Victoria-Seattle Air Mail Services Makes Winter Continuation Possible

The air mail service between Seattle and Victoria, maintained by Pilot Eddie Hubbard, who has been operating on the route since its inception five years ago, will not be discontinued during the Winter months in connection with delivery of mail to outbound deep-sea liners, it was learned here yesterday.

A few days ago it was announced that Pilot Eddie Hubbard would only meet inbound liners on their arrival here during the Winter months, because the Winter's early hours of darkness made landing conditions when connecting with outbound liners difficult.

This order has now been rescinded so that the former service will be maintained with only a slight alteration. The air mail plane will arrive here earlier in the afternoon with special mail from the Eastern United States via Seattle, so that it can be placed on the outbound liners, which generally sail about 5:30 o'clock in the evening. This will obviate the danger in landing the plane in the Inner Harbor during the hours of dusk.

Dream Comes True

LONDON, Dec. 2.—Free beer and free speech, a dream of years, have come to inmates of the Southwark poor house.

All restrictions on speeches during the Winter evenings have been lifted, and on top of this an offer from a London brewery to supply free beer to the inmates has been accepted by the borough officials.

BUSINESS MEN GREET LEADER

Dr. Tolmie Given Enthusiastic Welcome at Greater Vancouver Banquet Last Night —Services Acknowledged

FIGHTING SPEECH MADE AND POLICY DECLARED

Head of Conservative Party Did Not Seek Position But Will Put Every Ounce of Energy Into It

VANCOUVER, Dec. 2.—Hon. S. F. Tolmie, M.P., newly-elected leader of the Conservative party in British Columbia, was given an enthusiastic welcome to his new office by citizens of Vancouver tonight, at a banquet in his honor at which more than 100 business men of Greater Vancouver acted as hosts.

Mr. J. B. Thomson presided and took the opportunity of eulogizing the part that Hon. Dr. Tolmie had already played in the development of British Columbia and Canada.

Mr. Leon J. Ladner proposed the toast to the guest of the evening, paying tribute to the man and his antecedents, while Senator J. D. Taylor, New Westminster, seconded the proposal.

Hon. Dr. Tolmie thanked the citizens of Vancouver and the business men who had invited him to be their guest.

Reference had been made to the part that his father had played in laying the foundations of the British Columbia of today, and he thanked the proposer and seconder of the toast for it. He deprecated the flattering things that had been said of himself and declared emphatically that he did not seek the position that he was now occupying. "To use the language of the range," he laughed, "I was roped, thrown, hogtied and the iron applied."

Every Ounce of Energy

"I had no idea of seeking the leadership when I went to the convention. In fact I had refused before going there to permit my name to go forward," Dr. Tolmie declared. "But now that I have accepted the leadership I will put every ounce of energy into the work," he added.

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Men Injured on Train Brought to Calgary

CALGARY, Dec. 2.—Two persons were seriously injured and eighteen others more or less hurt in a wreck of the C.P.R. train No. 1, westbound, near Tilly, Alta., at 2:30 o'clock Thursday morning. The accident was attributed to a broken rail which caused the engine to leave the track. The baggage, colonist and a first class car were thrown upon their sides. Reports that a man was missing when the wreck was cleared is officially denied.

The seriously hurt are Jack Temple, commercial traveler for D. Ackland & Son, and A. Peterson, trainman, both of Calgary. It was necessary to amputate an arm from each.

The more seriously injured were brought to Calgary on a special train of a locomotive and two cabooses, which made the run from Bassano to Calgary, a distance of ninety-eight miles, in two and a half hours. Wrecking trains restored the line by 2:30 o'clock in the afternoon, and the train to which the passengers were transferred arrived in Calgary at six o'clock Thursday evening.

Forty Lake Steamers Are Held in River Ice

SAULT STE. MARIE, Mich., Dec. 2.—Four tugs were working desperately tonight in an effort to free forty up or down bound steamers caught in the ice clogging the St. Mary's River channel here. A railroad car ferry from St. Ignace is expected to get underway tonight to help the tugs in their task. Ice, which is forming rapidly every hour, is increasing the plight of the imprisoned ships.

Railwaymen Practice Diplomacy in Secret

MONTREAL, Dec. 2.—The railway officials and the representatives of the 15,000 conductors and trainmen employed on Canadian lines, who resumed negotiations here today in an endeavor to satisfactorily settle the demands of the men for a six per cent increase in wages and thereby avert a possible railway strike in Canada, were again noncommunicative at the conclusion of their conference this afternoon. The only information obtained by press representatives was that further meetings will be held. No date as to when these would take place, however, was announced.

Lioness Kills Hunter

JOHANNESBURG, S. Africa, Dec. 2.—John Vandermere, champion lion hunter of the Transvaal, is dead, the victim of his thirty-ninth quarry, a lioness. The beast, which had been slightly wounded, leaped on him before he could escape, knocking him down and badly mangling him. A fellow hunter rushed up and shot the lioness through the head, but Vandermere's injuries proved fatal.

Honeymoon Over

HOLLYWOOD, Dec. 2.—Al Reeves, general manager of the Charles Chaplin Studio, said today he had authority to announce for Mr. Chaplin that the comedian would not be responsible for any further bills contracted by his wife, the former Lita Grey.

Northern War Lords With Backs to Wall Form Military Union

Dictators of Manchuria, Peking and Shanghai Place All Forces Under One Commander-in-Chief—Chang Tso-Lin Installed as Head of All China Opposed to Cantonese Party

All North China Is United For Final Contest With South

PEKING, Dec. 2.—The northern war lords formed an alliance today to halt the victorious sweep of the Cantonese forces, which within a few months has given them control over territory peopled by more than 200,000,000, and has caused the reign of the militarists of the north to totter.

The war lords' much-heralded conference at Tientsin having dragged out a vacillating course for more than a fortnight, produced its first tangible result in the election and installation of Chang Tso-Lin, dictator of Manchuria, as generalissimo of what is proclaimed the union of all northern forces.

Labelled "Ankuonsiun," which is translatable "Country Pacifying Army," the union's avowed purpose is "to relieve the distress of the people, exterminate rebels and strengthen the nation's foundations." By "rebels" is meant the Cantonese.

It is noteworthy that while the principal Northern militarists are named as sub-commanders, and Marshal Sun Chuan-Fang and General Chang Tsung-Chang, its chief lieutenants, the union exclude Marshal Wu Pei-Fu, long one of China's most skilled commanders and overlord from Peking of China's central provinces. Wu's exclusion means that he no longer is counted among the effective opponents of the Cantonese.

Announced plans provide for five lesser armies composed respectfully of Manchurian, Shantung, Kiangsu, Shansi and Honan provincial troops.

Manchurian Dictator Rules All

Dispatches from Tien Tsin describe Chang Tso-Lin's picturesque installation. The Mukden War Lord, clad in formal Chinese robes, stood before an incense table and took an oath to uphold the Ankuonsiun purposes.

Thereafter, Chang Tsung-Chang and Sun Chuan-Fang departed for their respective capitals, Tsinan in Shantung province, and Nanking in Kiangsu.

Despite the ringing tone of the pronouncement, the war plans against the Cantonese remain nebulous. There has been much marching and counter-marching of troops and issuance and countermanding of orders.

The Shantung troops of Chang Tsun-Chang, who had advanced as far south as Pukow, not far from Nanking province, are reported to have retired northward. However, it is generally indicated that the Chang Tso-Lin will establish headquarters at Tien Tsin.

Warships at Hankow

SHANGHAI, Dec. 2.—Foreign warships have insured the safety for the present of foreigners at Hankow, 585 miles up the Yangtse river, where agitation by Chinese radicals became threatening Tuesday, under guise of an anti-foreign strike. Other foreign warships have had a salutary effect at Foochow, capital of Fukien province, where Chinese authorities yesterday professed themselves unable to guarantee protection to foreigners, owing to civil war.

Foreign war craft maintained a quiet vigil in the broad Yangtse opposite Hankow today, while the speedy United States destroyers Truxton and Pope moved up that stream from Shanghai to reinforce them. On a British boat the new British Minister to China, Mr. Miles W. Lampson, left Shanghai to inspect Hankow conditions personally.

The general strike planned for December 4 of all Chinese employed by foreigners, as a mark of displeasure, may not be called.

Settlements are being made of industrial strikes in Hankow, and factories are reopening.

At Foochow

Japanese warships reached Foochow today, the first of fighting ships asked for by foreign consuls.

In consequence, foreign residents of Foochow, city of 700,000 Chinese, viewed with some calmness the insurrection of Marshal Sun Chuan-Fang's troops, and the approach of the victorious Cantonese forces. Martial law was in force and the Governor expressed confidence that he could protect all foreigners.

Admiralty Statement

LONDON, Dec. 2.—Word has come from Vice-Admiral Sir Edwin Alexander-Sinclair, of the British-China station, that he believes he has sufficent strength to protect British lives.

First Lord of the Admiralty, W. O. Bridgeman, announced the receipt of this message, while speaking at Bromley tonight. He said the Admiralty had replied to the Admiral, telling him: "If you haven't enough, we will do our best to send you further reinforcements."

Principle of Radio Applied Here to Aid Deaf People

ADOPTION of the principle of radio reception to the telephone, by using apparatus for adjusting it to the amplification required, is being tested here. The object is to aid deaf people and those suffering from aural afflictions.

A local subscriber has been supplied with equipment by the B.C. Telephone Company and she is reported to be well satisfied. Officials of the company have also asked several leading business men, similarly afflicted, to whom deafness is a distinct handicap, to test out the equipment for themselves.

The equipment is very simple and can be readily added to the installation for a subscriber. While the test here is in an experimental stage, it is believed to offer a distinct relief to deaf people in using the telephone.

Crews Rescued

CALUMET, Mich., Dec. 2.—The steamers City of Bangor and Thomas Matham have been wrecked on the rocks of Keweenaw Point on Lake Superior. The crews of both vessels have been saved. Twenty-nine men were rescued from the City of Bangor and twenty-four from the Matham.

NINETEEN ENTER CIVIC CONTEST

KEEN CONTESTS EXPECTED FOR POSITIONS ON THREE CITY BODIES

City Manager Referendum Will Also Be Voted on—Radio May Be Used in Electioneering

Nineteen candidates are in the field for election to five seats on the City Council, three on the School Board, and one on the Police Commission. The nominations, which closed at 2 o'clock yesterday afternoon, showed no last-minute surprises. Eleven men will contest the five seats on the Council, five the three seats on the School Board, and three the one position on the Police Commission.

In addition to voting upon the various candidates, taxpayers on the city voters' list will be called upon to decide whether there shall be a city manager or not.

A new departure in the election campaign is expected to be taken this year. Alderman Woodward proposes to make use of station CFCT in broadcasting his platform and election speech.

Although all arrangements for voting on December 9 have not yet been completed, it is expected that the system will be considerably improved this year. The recommendations brought in by the committee of the City Council appointed to investigate

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Sir Alan Cobham Flies In Moth Through Gale

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 2.—Sir Alan Cobham, noted British aviator, and Lady Cobham landed here in their tiny airplane this afternoon after a blustery trip from New York. So much time was consumed visiting with Mayor Kendrick and Navy Yard officers that the continuance of the trip to Washington was postponed until tomorrow.

Officials at Mustin Field told Sir Alan he could not reach Bolling Field, Washington, before dark. High wind and low temperatures were said also to have been factors in the postponement. The little aircraft was buffeted by a 100-mile-and-hour wind.

United Grain Growers Decline to Make Sale

CALGARY, Dec. 2.—That the United Grain Growers, Ltd., will not sell out its elevator system to the three provincial wheat pools of Western Canada was the decision reached by the annual meeting today by a majority estimated at more than four to one, in a meeting of 350 delegates. This decision was reached shortly before six o'clock after the whole of the second day's session of the meeting had been given to discussing the proposal for sale.

Mr. Baldwin Interested In Navy More Than Air

LONDON, Dec. 2.—In his speeches at the various private discussions on Imperial defence before the representatives of the Dominions at the recent Imperial Conference, Premier Baldwin made the statement that the Government was less anxious about air attacks than a few years ago.

The Government tonight issued official reports of Premier Baldwin's remarks, which were largely concerned with the best methods of co-operation and consultation for mutual defence of the interests of the Empire. Mr. Baldwin emphasized the vital need of the Singapore naval base and hoped the Dominions would co-operate with the Government in this heavy burden.

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Quaker Choice Peaches, 2's, per tin ..... 19¢
Quaker Choice Corn, 2 tins for ..... 25¢

Kellogg's All Bran, per package ..... 19¢
Holsum Egg Macaroni, 2-lb. bag for ..... 20¢

1 lb. Orange Pekoe Tea, 1 lb. Seedless Raisins, 1 lb. New Currants, ½ lb. Mixed Peel — All for **95c**

1 bar Ivory Soap, 1 bar P. & G. Naptha, 1 pkg. Chipso, 1 box Reckitt's Blue — All for **30c**

Wild Rose Pastry Flour, 10-lb. sack ..... 47¢
Choice Shelled Almonds, per lb. ..... 59¢

Blue Ribbon Tea, per lb. ..... 62¢
Johnson's Fluid Beef, per bottle ..... 89¢

Australia Sultana Raisins, choice, per lb. ..... 17¢
Spanish Raisins, finest Malaga clusters ..... 43¢

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Served on Behring Sea Arbitration and With Alaska Boundary Tribunal in London

OTTAWA, Dec. 3.—Sir Joseph Pope, former Under-Secretary of State in the Federal Government, and a distinguished figure in Canadian public life, died at his home here today aged seventy-three. He had been ill only a short time.

Sir Joseph is survived by Lady Pope and by five sons and one daughter. Major Maurice Pope, of the Royal Canadian Engineers, Esquimalt, is a son.

Sir Joseph received his knighthood in 1912. He was appointed Under-Secretary for State for Canada in 1896, served on the staff of the British Agent in the Behring Sea Arbitration in Paris, and was associated secretary to the Alaska Boundary Tribunal in London in 1902. He received decorations for his work in connection with the tour of Prince and Princess of Wales in 1901.

Sir Joseph had played a big part in the civil service of this country during the last forty-five years. He was the son of the late Hon. W. H. Pope, one of the Fathers of Confederation. He was educated in his native province of Prince Edward Island and came to Ottawa in 1878. He became private secretary to Sir J. A. Macdonald and his biography of that statesman ranks high among works of that kind.

CUSTOMS INQUIRY CONCLUDES HERE

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The Attorney-General stated that the clause concerning the shipping permit was placed in the Government Liquor Act upon the suggestion of Mr. E. S. Busby, chief inspector of Customs for Canada. It was thought that such a regulation perhaps would be of assistance to the Government in controlling the export trade in liquors and would be helpful in the Provincial Government's collaboration with the Customs Department.

The permits, Mr. Manson showed, had reference to domestic shipping up the Coast, and included sealed liquor purchased from the Liquor Board and also any other that might be in transportation. It also included, he said, shipments of liquor made by export houses.

Backwash of Liquor Into B.C.

"The Provincial Government is concerned with the prevention of what might be termed the 'backwash of liquor into British Columbia,' that is, we want to stop liquor exported from Canada finding its way back into this country again," the Attorney-General said.

The Attorney-General said that liquor shipments were so numerous that it was impossible to regulate the traffic. He said that the Government would have to have a "young Armada" to check it, and was not in a position to maintain such a force.

"We cannot have Government control of liquor until we have it entirely in our hands. We want to cut off the private exporting and importing of liquor in this Province. We can't hope to regulate it, otherwise," concluded Mr. Manson.

Captain Richard Ley, an inspector of the Liquor Board, took the witness stand and explained the procedure when persons wished to secure a shipping permit to transport liquor from one place to another place within the Province.

Gives Fact About Companies

Mr. Wilfred Lawrence Llewellyn, of the Attorney-General's Department, told of the various companies in the Province that were engaged in liquor exporting trade, giving the capital of the company and the number of shares, the shareholders with their holdings, directors, and the dates when the last returns were made to the Government. This list was filed with the Commission.

Witness said that the Eastern Freighters, the company that chartered the liquor carrier Chris Moeller from the Iron Bark Exchange, was capitalized at $50,000, with 5,000 shares of $10 each. The paid-up capital was $20, he said, adding there was no record that any shares had been issued before August, 25, 1926. The capitalization of the Iron Bark Exchange was $250,000, divided into 2,500 shares of $100 each. The capital was fully paid up. This company was the owner of the Chris Moeller.

Mr. George Bucklin, United States Consul in Victoria, said that prior to coming to Victoria in September, 1924, he was stationed in Mexico, and had visited San Blas, Ensenada and other Mexican points. San Blas, the place to which the liquor shipment on the Chris Moeller was consigned, was a small settlement, with between 500 and 600 inhabitants. He said that no craft that had a draught of more than four or five feet would be able to land in the harbor there. Ensenada was a town of about 5,000 population. It had a good harbor for anchorage, but no rail connection was there. It was dry, barren and sparsely settled.

Four Brokers Questioned

Four Victoria brokers, D. D. McTavish and J. A. McTavish, of McTavish Bros., and Edward H. King and Henry King, of King Bros., were questioned at length by Mr. Rowell concerning vessels that had cleared, and matters regarding landing certificates and affadavits.

The Commission brought down yesterday its decision regarding the request of Mr. Rowell, that the Commission recommend to the Minister of Customs that no clearance be given to the Chris Moeller until the Manitoba Refinery or the shippers posted a bond of $840,000, an amount which is double the import duty on the cargo of 21,000 cases of liquor.

Chairman Reads Finding

Chief Justice Brown read the finding of the Commission as follows:

"With reference to the Chris Moeller, which demands immediate attention, we find as a fact that the liquors in question were stored at the Customs warehouse for a period of some four months to suit the convenience of the Manitoba Refinery, and until such time as they could find a purchaser to finance the shipment. They were not there solely for the purpose of shipment in transit, and consequently should not be entered for export except under the protection of a bond to double the value of the import duty.

"We therefore propose to report these findings, but in greater detail, to the Governor-General in Council.

"There is another and more serious phase of this matter which we cannot ignore, but on which we are not disposed to make a finding or report.

"The evidence thus far adduced indicates that the attempted shipment of this cargo of liquors is in disregard of the express provisions of the Customs Act and the regulations made thereunder; that the entry papers outward are false and fraudulent; that the alleged consignee is fictitious and that it was not intended that the liquors should be delivered at San Blas, the port of destination, but should be made available elsewhere to rum-runners or bootleggers, for consumption in the Western States.

"We have, however, decided to make no disposition of or report on this branch of the case until the consignees hae had ample oportunity of producing the alleged consignee and making a full defence. Although represented by counsel, no request was made for this prilege, but we offer it to them. They may do so within the next ten days at Vancouver. After this we will consider it our duty to make a finding and further report on this phase of the matter."

Offers Suggestions

Collector of Customs Fred W. Davey told the Commission that it was impossible to carry out the spirit of the treaty on smuggling between Canada and the United States as long as exports to the United States were allowed. The method of clearing vessels coastwise was not satisfactory at all, he said. The regulations formerly effective did not meet the new conditions created by the rum-running business. When he knew a vessel was committing an offence he was hampered in dealing with it. Giving it clearance papers as he had to do was practically facilitating an offence for which afterwards he had to fine the vessel.

He suggested that clearances be limited to ports of entry, which were under a Customs officer. He also suggested seizures and forfeitures preventing boats engaged in the business from operating again when they were found guilty of producing forged landing certificates.

Prompted by a request from the automobile section of the Victoria Chamber of Commerce, Hon. Mr. Rowell asked Mr. Davey for information on the admission of second-hand automobiles into Canada from the United States.

Mr. Davey explained the procedure approved by the department. Second-hand cars were admitted at values established by appraisers' bulletins which took into consideration the list price of the car and allowed for depreciation.

The complaint from Victoria automobile men, he believer arose from the fact that there had been an error in appraisal in this city. A deduction had been allowed for dealers' discount on the list price. The matter had been taken up with the department at Ottawa and a reply had been received that discount could not be allowed in the case of second-hand cars. This, he believed, would meet the situation on which the Victoria automobile men had based their criticism.

Need of Adequate Patrol Boat

Mr. Joseph E. Miller, inspector of customs for Victoria, Nanaimo, White Horse and Dawson, urged the necessity of an adequate patrol boat. The Winnamac, the only patrol boat in use, was not able to go out in the open sea. There were boats available in England for $30,000, and which laid down here and fixed up for service would cost probably $80,000. Such a boat would make thirteen to fifteen knots and a three-pounder at the bow would add much to the proficiency of the craft.

He gave information to the Commission on a number of seizures and of how boats landed cargoes from Victoria and Vancouver on islands in the Gulf, Bentinck Island being one of them named.

"I supposed that was for treatment of lepers," said Mr. Justice Wright.

Mrs. Mary Croft, woman lighthouse keeper at Discovery Island, was placed on the witness stand and interrogated by Mr. R. C. Calder, assistant counsel, concerning boats coming to and departing from Discovery Island.

Witness testified that from the platform of the light station she could scan the sea for a distance of eighteen miles. She could see about half the five-mile coast line, the southern end, towards the American boundary.

She could give no detailed information on the loading of cargoes or unloading of cargoes on the islands.

She knew Joe Flemming, of the freighter Elgo. He was a relative by marriage. She did not own part of the boat. Had loaned him no money to buy nor had endorsed any notes.

Says Elgo at Discovery

The Elgo had called at Discovery Island. It anchored there. She had never seen liquor on the boat. Flemming had never told her he had liquor on it. There was a mooring to which the boats tied up, but she could not see the mooring from the lighthouse. She could not see the path the ships would follow to go the mooring.

"I put it to you," said Mr. Calder, "The Elgo and other boats frequently come to Discovery Island and are met by American boats?"

"I do not know."

"Are there any aeroplanes calling at Discovery Island?"

"I have not seen any except one that crashed behind some trees."

"How was it you did not notify your department of the crash when as a matter of fact the news was in the newspapers?"

"Officials came out."

"Yes; but they came out on newspaper information?"

"I have no communication and no telephone. I have to take a boat."

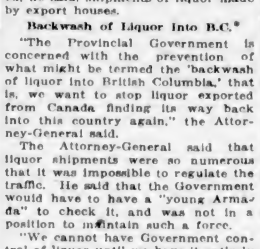
She had not seen the Comus or the Nellie B. She did not see them when officers come to inquire about the aeroplane crash.

"Did you ever give information by signal to the Elgo, the 1277, the Nellie B and other boats on the point of anchoring when there was danger in doing so?"

"No."

Mr. Oscar Bass appeared as counsel for witness

More evidence in the Chris Moeller case was taken when Elmer E. White, accountant, of the Dominion Bank, Vancouver, and F. R. Wilgress, of the Bank of Montreal, Victoria, spoke to credits placed to the account of the Manitoba Refinery on drafts from California.



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MAYOR WILL WORK FOR INDUSTRIAL DEVELOPMENT

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Would Retain Mr. Pinneo

"We are fortunate indeed that we have been able to secure the services of Mr. Roger Pinneo, a man whose wide experience in port development and transportation matters in general is well known in all shipping circles; and my recommendation to the incoming Council is going to be that we endeavor to secure Mr. Pinneo's services for a few months longer, so that we can bring to a successful conclusion some of the undertakings we now have under consideration and which show such bright promise for the future.

"While we have had differences of opinion in the Council during the past two years, I want to thank the aldermen, who have served the city so faithfully and given so much of their time, for the generous support they have accorded me, and I have every confidence that 1927 will be a 'banner year' for the city of Victoria.

"I also wish to thank the service clubs, the Chamber of Commerce, the Real Estate Exchange, and other organizations, for the loyal support given the City Council. The press also has been a great factor in assisting to restore confidence among the taxpayers and public generally."

BUSINESS MEN GREET LEADER

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He spoke of the fighting spirit of the party as demonstrated at the Kamloops convention and of the manner in which all sections of the party had united for the common purpose of bringing good government to British Columbia.

The final act of unifying Conservatives had been played at Saanich several nights ago, he said, when the rival factions whose differences had been a feature of the convention held a love feast, "kissed and made up."

Tributes Paid

Dr. Tolmie paid tribute to the services of Mr. W. J. Bowser during his thirty years in the public life in the Province, and also spoke of the magnanimity of Mr. L. J. Ladner, Senator Taylor, Mr. C. F. Davie and Colonel Nelson Spencer in setting aside their own claims and ambitions to the leadership in order to weld the Conservatives into one solid, progressive whole.

He also spoke in praise of the work of Mr. R. H. Pooley, House leader since 1924, and to the efforts of Mr. R. L. Maitland, retiring president of the Conservative Association.

"Now that I'm leader as I said before, I am going to throw off my coat and put every ounce of energy into the work. It is not going to be an 'I' party but a 'We' party. It is through co-operation of all that we will succeed."

He briefly reviewed the policies approved at the Kamloops gathering, mentioning the necessity for stabilizing the civil service, and lowering taxation. British Columbia must reduce its taxation to prove attractive to those who would come here to aid in the development of the Province, he declared.

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Alderman Worthington Denies Mayor's Charge

VANCOUVER, Dec. 2.—Alderman G. H. Worthington at a mayoralty campaign meeting presided over by Charles Woodward, M.L.A., here last night denied that he had ever offered Mayor Taylor a position as chairman of the water and sewer board on condition that he did not seek re-election.

"He evidently misunderstood me," said Dr. Worthington, "for what happened was this. I went to him as man to man three months ago and told him I was going to be a candidate. He said he was also going to run, that he liked being mayor and intended to be mayor as long as he could. I told him that I had heard he would probably not be offering himself, but would seek a position as chairman of the water and sewer board. He said that that was too far in the future and too indefinite."

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Province Takes Premier Place in Silver Output

Writer in East Tells of Usurpation by British Columbia of Position Formerly Held by Ontario in Consequence of Rich Production of Cobalt

Dealing with the subject of the displacing of Ontario from the position of the premier silver-producing province of the Dominion by British Columbia, Mr. J. A. McRae, writing in The Toronto Saturday Night, gives some interesting facts connected with the Ontario silver-producing areas.

The proud position which mines like the Sullivan and the Premier, in this Province occupy as silver producers are also shown in comparative statements made by the writer. Mr. McRae says:

"The glory that once belonged to Cobalt is on the wane. The laurels which go with leadership now pass to the Pacific Coast. The mines of Northern Ontario are now producing less silver than are the mines of British Columbia.

"Those who have known Cobalt throughout all of its days; and, more particularly, those who were familiar with the massive bodies of native silver in the veins of that world-famous camp, are likely to find it difficult to realize that old age has crept across the path of Cobalt.

"Nevertheless, the data which has been gathered is such as to indicate an output this year of not more than 9,500,000 ounces of silver from Northern Ontario, and with a production of at least 10,500,000 ounces from British Columbia.

"Individual comparison of output from the mines is even more in favor of British Columbia. While Nipissing and Mining Corporation of Canada struggle to maintain output at over 2,000,000 ounces a year, it is evident that the Sullivan mine in British Columbia will produce over 4,000,000 ounces this year, and with 3,000,000 ounces from the Premier mine. Even the Mayo district in the Yukon has a mine, the Treadwell Yukon Company, which this year will produce about 2,700,000 ounces of silver.

Ontario Still Important

"These observations should not be misconstrued. No one should gather the impression that silver mining is soon to pass from the industrial picture in Northern Ontario. Indeed, even now, the progress being made in Gowganda and South Lorrain gives promise of a prosperous silver mining industry for many years to come—possibly for decades.

"It is in the central part of Cobalt where the march of time has left a mere skeleton of the lusty camp of old. From among that once great array of silver-producing mines in Cobalt, all that remain are Nipissing, Mining Corporation, and O'Brien. It is true that McKinley-Darragh still hangs on, but the mine is soon to close. It is also true that other efforts are being made, including Cobalt-Contact, Peterson-Cobalt, Victory Silver, and new efforts of O'Brien and Mining Corporation along the easterly side of the camp. However, the entire picture of Cobalt as it stands today is a mere dwarf of that of the days of old.

"Nor is it to be wondered at. Since 1904 the mines of this district have yielded over 370,000,000 ounces of silver. The operating companies have had revenue of over $250,000,000. The shareholders of the companies have received over $101,000,000 in dividends.

Cobalt's Credible Record

"The value of Cobalt to the Dominion of Canada has been quite incalculable. For nearly a quarter century, distinguished and influential visitors were attracted to that little grey town nestled among the Cobalt hills. Travelers found their way there from almost every part of the world. Up to that time, no mining camp had gone so far toward advertising the mining possibilities in Canada. Capital in large volume was attracted from United States and Great Britain.

"As a consequence of the success at Cobalt, the prospectors and pioneers commenced to investigate the hills which lay just beyond. This curiosity led to discoveries on which is based the gold-mining industry which has now eclipsed Cobalt even in its greatest days of glory.

"So great has been the development of the gold-mining industry that the leading mine, Hollinger Consolidated, is now producing more gold in a single year than did the entire silver field of Northern Ontario even in the year of maximum achievement. Four individual gold mines in Northern Ontario are each producing more value annually than the annual rate ever attained by any one of the silver mining companies. Two more gold mines will attain this distinction within the next year or two.

"Therefore, while silver mining in Northern Ontario may be declining, yet in place of a silver-mining industry which yielded scores of millions, there is a gold-mining industry which will produce wealth valued in hundreds of millions.

"It is correct to point out, therefore, that while the glory that once belonged to Cobalt is on the wane, yet the glory which Northern Ontario as a whole has enjoyed for the past twenty years is still rising—and at a greater rate than ever in the days gone by."

CANADA'S HISTORY IS UNPARALLELED STORY

President of United Grain Growers Refers to Fifty Years' Growth as Mere Beginning

CALGARY, Dec. 2.—Development of Canada during last fifty years forms a romance unequalled in the history of the world, but what has been done is only the commencement, said Hon. T. A. Crerar, president of the United Grain Growers, at a banquet last night tendered by the Board of Trade to some 400 delegates at the annual meeting. No country in the world, continued Mr. Crerar, is to see the development in the next twenty-five years that Canada will see.

Referring to the growth of the organization, Mr. Crerar said the first annual profits had been but $790, and today there is a paid-up capital of $3,000,000, elevators at 387 points, and export facilities and subsidiary insurance companies, etc.

The co-operative movement of the farmers in Western Canada, he said, is without parallel in the world. Farmers have $6,250,000,000 invested in agriculture, and he compared this amount with the amounts representing other industries, and said that the importance of farming measured by any yardstick, is foremost in Canada.

He predicted that in twenty-five years the United States would become a food-importing country and that it would turn to Canada.

BLIZZARD ENTRAPS TOURISTS IN NEVADA

Rescued by Two Old Mushers When Death Seems Imminent From Cold and Hunger

TONOPAH, Nev., Dec. 2.—Two score or more of California-bound tourists who were trapped in a blizzard at Montgomery Pass in the high Sierras near here, are alive today only because of the heroic efforts of two old mushers, who effected their rescue when death seemed imminent because of cold and starvation.

The motor caravan, on its way to balmy Southern California to spend the Winter, for two days remained snowbound in the pass, without food, and even burning trunks and other personal effects in a futile effort to escape the freezing temperature.

Meanwhile, Dan N. Haskin and Bill Farrington, veteran figures of the West, were pushing through with the motor stage to Bishop, unaware of the beleaguered tourists ahead. Even though the snow was ten feet deep in places, getting the stage through was a part of the day's work with them, and they were accomplishing the job when they came upon the stranded cars.

"What did we do with them?" Haskin repeated when sought for an interview. "Well, first we broke trail for them on to Benton, where Warren Davis, who runs a resort there, filled 'em up with turkey and trimmin's. And by the old bull calf, how they did eat!

"And then we led 'em to the hot springs there, and helped 'em to get into the natural Turkish baths to thaw out—and that was all there was to it."

EXPLAINS STATUS IN EXPORT TRADE

MR. GRAHAM SPRY POINTS OUT THAT DOMINION IS FIFTH INDUSTRIAL NATION

Takes Sixth Place as World Exporter —The British Commonwealth of Nations

Mr. Graham Spry, who was recently appointed travelling secretary of the Association of Canadian Clubs, will be the speaker at a joint luncheon of the Kiwanis and Canadian Clubs to be held in the Chamber of Commerce auditorium on Tuesday at 12:15 o'clock. In the afternoon he will have an opportunity to meet members of the Women's Canadian Club at tea.

A native of Calgary, he spoke on Monday evening at that city to the Calgary branch of the League of Nations.

In opening his address, Mr. Spry stated that the question upon which he was about to speak was not an academic one, but a practical one. "Canada is the fifth industrial nation and the sixth exporting nation in the world," he said. "She is even more dependent upon world markets than the United States, consequently economic stability in Europe does not affect the day to day living of Canadians," the speaker declared.

Germany Is Buying

The speaker exemplified his statement by saying that since the French army was withdrawn from the Ruhr and German economic conditions were stabilized, Germany had become the third largest buyer of Canadian products, although a few years ago, when conditions in Germany were upset, she hardly bought anything from Canada. Mr. Spry said that not only did economic interest compel Canada to share in the work of the League of Nations, but the recent decisions of the Imperial Conference appeared to throw more and more responsibility directly upon Canada, although Great Britain, according to the report of the conference, continued to bear the major responsibility in the conduct of foreign affairs.

Model for League

"It is also pointed out," said the speaker, "that the Dominions themselves are also responsible for such aspects of foreign policy as affects them. The conference has a further interest, for it reveals that the British Commonwealth is the model for the League of Nations." Mr. Spry said that the commonwealth was based on three principles: first, freedom and quality of the member states; second, settlement of common problems by the conference method, and third, the carrying out of common decisions by the independent executive action of the member states. "In other words," Mr. Spry declared, "neither the British Empire nor the League of Nations are super-states, but are both based upon these methods of international co-operation."

Mr. Spry then examined briefly one or two of the things that the League has done. He outlined how Canada came to be a member of the League through participation in the war. He touched on the activities Canada shared in the League, and Canadian representation in all principle branches of the organization.

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Grocer and His Wife Defeat Two Burglars

TORONTO, Dec. 2.—With a butcher knife, James Sammons defended himself against two armed burglars in his grocery store here last night and held one of the men until his invalid wife got a telephone receiver off its hook, when an operator, hearing her cries, called the police who arrested Frank Rioux, twenty-six, of Timmins, Ont. The other man escaped.

Sammons told the police that during the scuffle Rioux fired several shots at him. One grazed his head.

PORTION OF TRAIN IS DERAILED IN ALBERTA

Eighteen Are Injured on Second Section of Imperial Limited East of Calgary

CALGARY, Dec. 2.—Nine passengers and nine train employees were injured this morning at 2:30 o'clock when C.P.R. passenger train No. 1, the Imperial Limited, westbound, was derailed 120 miles east of Calgary.

The injured were removed to Bassano and Calgary.

A. M. Peterson, of Calgary, trainman, lost his left arm. Other injuries, while painful, were not of an extremely serious nature.

In an official statement, C.P.R. officials in Calgary, stated:

"At 2:30 on Thursday morning the second section of No. 1, the Imperial Limited, due in Calgary at 4:15 a.m., was derailed at Mileage 52, Brooks subdivision, one and a half miles east of Tilley.

"The engine was derailed and a baggage, colonist and first class car were put on their sides. A tourist car and two sleepers were also leaning to one side. The rest of the train, including three sleepers and an observation car were on the track.

"The cause of the accident has not yet been ascertained.

"An auxiliary with full equipment was rushed to the scene of the accident as soon as word was received in Calgary."

It was estimated that the train was going at between forty and fifty miles an hour when the accident occurred. Number 1 was running slightly behind schedule, being due to pass through Tilley about midnight.

Harold Lomas, of New Westminster, sustained a cut forehead.

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Son: Y-yes, we did, but my name's Marmaduke Algernon, and his is Jim.

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Friday, December 3, 1926

MAYOR PENDRAY

Mayor Pendray is to be congratulated on his election by acclamation for a second term and the City of Victoria is to be congratulated on the election of a most capable Mayor for a second term. The conditions in the city at the present time are much better than they have been for a considerable time and the prospects of the city for the future are much brighter than they have been for a long time. Whether the influence of an energetic and enterprising Chief Magistrate has had anything to do with the change that has taken place may be a matter of controversy, but the fact cannot be disputed that the Mayor is entitled to some of the credit for what has been done; and he says there is much more to be done and he is pleased because an opportunity has been given him to do it. The Mayor will be pleased to observe that the voters of the city will have ample opportunity to elect a capable council to assist and support him in his plans for completing the important works he has undertaken.

RUDE WINTER

Winter, rude fellow, does not always keep away from the door until the date when he is officially expected. In most parts of the country he arrives unexpectedly, breaks down the door, and immediately begins to behave disagreeably. We are told that a blizzard has prematurely swept over all parts of this continent from the Prairies of Canada down to near the Gulf of Mexico. Rivers and lakes have been fitted with coats of ice half a foot in depth. In some places the unfortunate people were not prepared to receive the icy blast in their customary manner. One man was frozen to death in Chicago. Dozens of men in other places have had their hands and feet frozen. People have suffered severe hardships and business has been seriously interrupted. Shipping on the Great Lakes has been suspended temporarily and may be tied up entirely for the season. That will have a depressing effect upon the transportation of wheat, and anything that affects the water transportation of grain is a serious matter for the farmers of Canada and the general business of Canada.

In this part of the continent Winter behaves more decorously. He hardly ever knocks at our doors until the date upon which he is officially expected to arrive and knock. Sometimes he is a trifle irritable and tempestuous when he arrives; but his breath is never cold enough to freeze up our harbors and put our seamen to serious inconvenience. Very often he passes us over entirely and permits the flowers of the Autumn to remain in bloom until they are saluted by the flowers of Spring.

The people of the East have had what they claim to be a very early beginning of the Winter season and they expect an extremely long Winter season. The season thus far has been exceptionally mild and pleasant in this part of the world; but we are told it is a dangerous thing to write about the weather, and perhaps the least written the soonest mended. It is not a pleasant thing to have somebody pop a sardonic face into the office and say, "I told you so!"

MUNICIPAL BICKERINGS

We suppose elections are fundamental features of modern political institutions, and we must have them, although the relations between men and men, between women and women, and between communities, especially contiguous communities, would be very much more agreeable if there were fewer elections. We would not go so far as to say it would be just as well if elections were abolished entirely, as in Italy under Mussolini.

The time of the annual municipal elections in Victoria and the surrounding municipalities is drawing near, and the municipal politicians are beginning to make their customary appeals to the intelligent municipal electorate. There are no big issues to discuss, so the ambitious municipal politicians are beginning to rake up memories of minor issues. The ambitious politician would be in a very unhappy position if he were not possessed of a "slogan."

In the unhappy days of old when the American politician could not think of anything else to stir up the passions and prejudices of his broad-minded and intelligent constituencies, he grabbed the tail of the British Lion and gave it a vicious twist. In the happy days of the present when the average municipal politician cannot think of anything else that is likely to stir up the passions and prejudices of his dear friends and fellow-citizens he grabs the tail of Victoria and gives it a malicious twist—assuming that the idea of Victoria having a tail to be maliciously twisted is something more than a figurative idea.

That is the sort of thing that does not produce neighborly relations between people who are essentially all of one community. It is not a pleasant feature of our annual municipal elections. After all, Victoria "was here first," as the boys say, and other communities, with the solitary exception of Esquimalt, probably would not have been here at all if Victoria had not been here first. Victoria constructed and paid for, or will pay for, all the services which are essential to the comforts, conveniences, life and health, of people who assemble in communities. The consequence is that the people of the near-by municipalities are in one respect a highly favored people compared with the people of Victoria. The rate of taxation is much higher in the city than it is in any of the suburbs—but Victoria is quite willing that her neighbors should share upon fair and equitable conditions in all the services which were established in the first instance exclusively for the use and benefit of her own people. It would be unreasonable to expect the people of Victoria to agree to terms for the use of these services that would have the effect of draining the life-blood of the city, because such a drainage system would be created if the conditions of living were very much better and cheaper in the sister municipalities than they are in the mother municipality.

But we suppose those irritating issues will be raised and fomented just as long as there are four municipalities where natural conditions intended there should be one municipality. We do not believe that the City Council of Victoria lies in bed o' nights, when the brain of man is said to be most active, thinking of some subtle way of getting the better of the council of Oak Bay, the council of Saanich, or the council of Esquimalt. Nor do we believe that the council of Oak Bay, the council of Saanich or the council of Esquimalt, spends a great deal of time thinking of some way of getting the better of the council of Victoria. Then why cannot all the municipalities get together and live in unity?

SAVING THE SMALL BOY

A learned authority has told us what is the matter with incorrigible small boy. The incorrigible small boy really is not incorrigible at all. There is nothing the matter with the incorrigible small boy. That is not mentally or morally. There is not a bad boy in the world who cannot be made a good boy if his teeth are given attention. Bad teeth make the bad boy.

Poisonous teeth make all the difference between the deadly snake and the harmless snake. The Indian "snake charmer" converts the deadly cobra from a dangerous reptile into charming performer of interesting tricks by extracting the fangs from its mouth. The modern dentist may transform the mischievous small boy into a docile and obedient small boy by pulling teeth that are bad, poisoning his physical system and filling his head with lawless thoughts.

Indeed we are told that if the teeth of all small boys are given the necessary dental supervision all the small boys in the world will be morally, mentally and physically equal. If the dentist is given supervision of all the small boys in the world, there will be no such perplexing creatures as dull boys, slow boys, or wayward boys. All boys will be on the same mental and physical plane. No boy will develop into a bad man. Consequently there will be no criminals in the world. Policemen, law courts, lawyers, judges and jails will disappear from the face of the earth. Give the dentist a chance, and he will practically create a new earth and in course of time depopulate the place so gruesomely described by the highly imaginative poet Dante.

The farmers of the Prairies succeeded in producing one of the greatest crops on record. They had some difficulty in harvesting and threshing their magnificent crop owing to unfavorable weather, but they did save it and it is on the way to market. One of them has taken the prize for producing the finest wheat in the world, and that finest wheat in the world was grown in one of the northern points of the Province of Alberta, thus demonstrating that the farther north wheat can be grown the better the wheat grown. What a quantity of wheat and what a quality of wheat will be grown in Canada within the compass of a few years!

The Weather

Meteorological Office, Victoria, B.C., at 8 p.m., December 2, 1926.

TEMPERATURES

	Min.	Max.
Victoria	44	52
Vancouver	44	48
Kamloops	34	46
Barkerville	20	
Prince Rupert	32	46
Estevan	46	52
Atlin	8	12
Dawson, Y.T.	20b	14b
Portland, Ore.		54
San Francisco, Cal.	54	60
Seattle	50	52
Spokane	46	50
Penticton	40	52
Vernon	38	47
Grand Forks	37	52
Nelson	36	50
Kaslo	34	44
Cranbrook	34	46
Calgary	6	4
Swift Current	2	10
Edmonton	2b	2
Prince Albert	2b	4
Qu'Appelle	8b	0
Winnipeg	0	10

FORECASTS

Victoria and Vicinity—Light to moderate winds, partly cloudy and colder at night.

Vancouver and Vicinity—Light to moderate winds, partly cloudy and colder at night.

THURSDAY

Maximum	52
Minimum	44
Average	44
Minimum on the grass	40

Bright sunshine, 3 hours 45 minutes.
Rain, .45 inch.
General state of the weather, fair.

8 P.M. Weather Reports.

Victoria—Barometer, 29.91; wind, W., 14 miles; fair.

Vancouver—Barometer, 29.88; wind, S.W., 4 miles; clear.

Kamloops—Barometer, 29.76; calm; cloudy.

Barkerville—Barometer, 29.88; calm; cloudy.

Prince Rupert—Barometer, 29.94; calm; cloudy.

Estevan—Barometer, 29.92; wind, N.W., 4 miles; fair.

Tatoosh—Barometer, 29.90; wind, W., 8 miles; clear.

Portland, Ore.—Barometer, 29.86; wind, N.W., 4 miles; fair.

Seattle—Barometer, 29.90; wind, S.W., 4 miles; raining.

San Francisco—Barometer, 29.74; wind, S.E., 10 miles; cloudy.

"When Caesar crossed the Rubicon,
It looks to me," writes Dennett,
"As though he kinda double-crossed
That bunch, the Roman Senate."

Letters to the Editor

No letter to the editor will be inserted except over the proper signature and address of the writer. This rule admits of no exception.

Explanatory

Sir,—On October 20, we appointed a committee to ask the Public Works Department to continue the bituminous surfacing of the Sooke Road from the Goldstream Crossroad to the Sooke Wharf. Last Friday evening the Hon. Dr. Sutherland came to a public meeting at the Sooke Hall and stated, "That before our deputation called on him at the Parliament Buildings his department had included in its 1927 road programme what our deputation asked for, and that his department would make a good job of it.

I did propose a vote of thanks at the end of the meeting, but did not (as Sunday's Colonist says), ask that the work be commenced as early as possible, nor did I ask that it be carefully and properly undertaken, knowing that bituminous surfacing can only be done in the Summer time, and had accepted the word of honor of the Hon. Dr. Sutherland that he would see that a good job was done.

A. CAMPBELL.

"Argyll," Sooke, B.C., December 1, 1926.

Inquiry

Sir,—Relative to the investigations now being made by the Royal Commission.

Is its object to ascertain as to whether goods from British Columbia are diverted from their ostensible destination in Mexico to the actual ports in the United States? This savors somewhat of the duties of a United States Commission. I was under the impression that this Commission was appointed to ascertain as to whether goods were entering Canada in contravention of our tariff laws. Is this a smoke screen? One can infer that liquor is being diverted to the United States, but so far cannot see any automobiles, etc., coming in.

JNO. DOUGALL.

1324 Broad Street, December 2.

Film Industry

Sir,—The letter which you publish this morning upon this subject from Mr. C. H. Coull is very much to the point, and I am glad to have an opportunity of endorsing Mr. Coull's statements about the apathy of Victoria. The simile he uses of a beautiful woman looking at her reflection in a mirror very aptly expresses the situation, and recalls one I used myself in your columns some years ago, when advocating a scheme which in the shape of the Crystal Garden has reached a mutilated result.

There is altogether too much talk in Victoria about schemes and too little action. We have heard from time to time of various people who have come to look over the ground for the establishment of a film industry, and I fancy that that august body, the Chamber of Commerce, has actually condescended to listen to these prospectors, and has issued statements about their schemes, which have had the appearance of indicating that something is about to be done. But nothing ever has been done. If the people of Victoria really want a film industry or any other industry let some of them come along with their cheque books in their hands and give a sound financial impetus to the proposed scheme.

CHARLES ST. BARBE.

407 Belleville Street, Victoria, B.C., Dec. 1, 1926.

Seeks Some Information

Sir,—Information respectfully requested for the benefit of municipal candidates and ratepayers:

Number of reverted lots this year and assessed value.

Total number of reverted lots including auctioned lots, and present assessed value to date.

Total number reverted lots sold and total selling price to date.

Amount realized to date on item 3.

Total amount realized to date on lots sold at first auction sale, and number of.

Total amount realized to date on lots sold at second auction sale, and number of.

Number of lots on which taxes are in default and total amount due for taxes.

Number of above in item 5 and amount due for taxes.

Number of above in item 6 and amount due for taxes.

Amount paid auctioneer first and second sale, separate.

Balance due on principal for all reverted lands sold.

Balance due on interest of all reverted lands sold.

Cost of reverted lands sales department from and including 1920 to date, or since its inception to date.

Amount realized from $2,500 appropriated to induce purchasers from Prairies. How many return fares were paid?

How are the proceeds of reverted lands disposed of? Are they applied in paying up shortage in sinking funds and interest?

What is the amount of increase per month in administrative and operating expenses of the city by the advance recently made in all civic salaries and wages?

By what amount was the fixed expenditure for 1926 lessened by the maturing and paying off of $475,000 worth of debentures referred to on Page 18, Annual Report, 1925?

Why did not the Council submit a by-law in accordance with the prayer of over 2,400 voter petitioners for the appointment of a city manager instead of a plebiscite, substituting a majority of the Council's ideas for those of the petitioners, an example of political obliquity unparalleled in the face of the statute?

Total amount spent in connection with acquirement, maintenance and operation of the plant formerly known as the Esquimalt Waterworks to end of October, 1926.

Acquirement including cost of securing the Validating Act.

Maintenance cost since taking over in each case up to October 30, 1926.

Operation cost since taking over to October 30, 1926.

Cost of extensions and replacements to October 30, 1926.

Cost of depreciation to October 30, 1926.

Cost of interest on capital cost to October 30, 1926.

Earnings within the former jurisdiction of said waterworks from date of acquirement up to October 30, 1926.

Revenue derived from B.C. Electric Railway Company to October 30, 1926.

Revenue derived from B.C. Electric Railway Company for surplus water to October 30, 1926.

Quantity of water used by B.C. Electric Railway Company, by months, to October 30, 1926.

Quantity of water delivered to Colwood golf links and price paid, to October 30, 1926.

Total amount paid to publicity bureau for year to October 30, 1926.

Total amount paid to city's delegates for attending conventions, with separate cost for attending Union of Municipalities convention at Vernon.

Now that the contract is broken for the sale of the Goldstream timber to Americans, if it must be sold, why does not the Council call for public tenders and give our own people a chance to bid on it and get the best price for the city? Why not let the ratepayers vote on it? Is the Council afraid to trust the ratepayers?

Why the ten per cent brokerage rake-off on this sale?

Let's have a change. Vote for successful city manager plan.

JOHN DEAN.

572 Head Street, Victoria, B.C., December 2, 1926.

Racing Concessions

Sir,—May I, as a resident of Victoria, ask why there is all this fuss and washing of dirty linen over the Willows, the B.C. Agricultural Association and the racing concessions.

Of the pros and cons, and the rights and the wrongs of the existing chaos I know nothing, neither do I want to, but it has been conclusively proved that the annual agricultural show with no races is a very dead and alive affair; in fact, I think one might leave out the whole part of it.

What I want to know is why does not the city take hold of the Willows ground and have a City of Victoria Agricultural Show and a city of Victoria race meeting at the same time. If properly run they would make a very substantial profit and clear away a lot of unsavory insinuations. The town of Worcester, in England, is a very good precedent for my suggestion.

G. MAURICE.

P.O. Box 721, Victoria, B.C., Dec. 2, 1926.

PEACE

Once in the hush of an evensong prayer,
There came a sweet light thro' the dusk-laden air,
As bowed down with sorrow and weighted with care,
I spoke in a whisper with God.
The organ subdued and the voices sublime
Both faded in quiet; and silence betime,
Save wavelets of seraph wings whiter than rime,
Betokened the presence of God.
How long I remained in that church I ne'er knew,
But o'er me the rays of that light fell as dew,
My heart opened widely for all to review—
The peace in my soul was from God.

—Kilbee Gordon.

THE SONG OF THE LEAVES

"Life is but a thread," sang the leaves,
"Flutter down, flutter down to dust,
And Death the weaver weaveth it
And cutteth it when he must;
And each when its virtue is finished
Flutters downs, flutters down to dust.

"Life is but a phase," sang the leaves,
Whisper soft, whisper soft and clear;
And each when his task is finished
Leaveth his labour here
To answer the Great Creator,
Whispering soft, whispering soft and clear.

"And each as he worked, new work shall have,"
Sang the leaves speeding on unseen.
And the great black trees stood stark and bare
Where the red gold wealth had been;
"We pass through the looping paths of the stars"
Sang the leaves speeding on unseen.

—Sheila C. Robertson.

TO ONE WHO FOLLOWS AFTER

When I have passed and lie beneath this earth,
Which I have loved for many happy years,
And share no more life's sorrows or its mirth,
Have laughed my last and wept the final tears;
Oh, when you then stand 'neath the starry sky
Upon the summit of some windy hill,
And listen to the wind as even I
Was wont to do, who lie so quiet and still;
Think then on me, O Friend I have not known,
That I did joy and once was glad like you,
In all those things which now you count your own,
The windy hill, the star-decked sky, the dew.

And when you see the road stretched out afar
A-winding whitely up athwart a hill,
And dip to where cool running waters are
That lap the silence of woods, calm and still;
Think then: "He passed along such roads as this,
And knew their bends and all their hidden ways,
And counted it a moment of life's bliss
To travel thus, and thus to spend his days."

And when you see, as evening bells ring low,
Thro' the dim dusk of swift-descending night,
The friendly lights of cottages aglow,
Remember 'twas to me an old delight.
And if men greet you as you go your way
Thro' country lanes on to your journey's end,
Remember, as you pass the time of day
With them, how oft I did the same,
O Friend!

—John Inglisham, in The Windsor Magazine.

Lawyer: Why don't you two settle this out of court?

Client: That's what we'd prefer to do, sir, but the police always stop us.

CANADIAN BOARD OF TRADE NAMES HEAD

Mr. Wendell McLeod Clarke, of Ottawa, Selected as Chief Executive Officer

Choice has been made of the executive head of the newly organized Canadian Board of Trade which embraces the whole of the Dominion, each board of trade or allied organisation being eligible for membership in the body. The choice of the executive for this important office is Mr. Wendell McLeod Clarke, late of Ottawa, where he has been filling the office of director of the Commercial Intelligence Branch of the Department of Trade and Commerce.

When the Canadian Board of Trade was organized on a sound footing at the convention in Saint John, N.B., a few weeks ago, the desire was expressed that with a most comprehensive programme in view the most capable man that could be obtained should be secured for the executive office. That choice has fallen on Mr. Clarke.

Mr. Clarke was born at Saint John, N.B., in 1892. He was educated at Saint John and Sussex, N.B., schools, the Ottawa Collegiate Institute and Toronto University. He graduated from Toronto University in 1915, with honors in English, history and classics.

Scholastic Career

While at the University of Toronto he was a holder of several scholarships, a prize man in special economics and won five gold medals in public speaking and debating. On the recommendation of the president of Toronto University, Sir Robert Falconer, he was appointed junior trade commissioner by Sir George Foster in 1915. He was appointed trade commissioner to Italy in 1917, opening up the office for the Canadian Government in that country. In 1919 he represented the Department of Trade and Commerce at the Lyons Fair, where Canada had a section of seventy-two stands. In 1919 he was sent on a special trade mission to Spain by the Minister of Trade and Commerce, afterward publishing a report, in pamphlet form, on "Trading With Spain."

In 1919 he conducted a similar mission to Greece, and wrote a report in pamphlet form on "Trading With Greece." In 1920 a similar mission was assigned Mr. Clarke to Egypt, and he wrote a report in pamphlet form on "Trading With Egypt." In 1920 he came to Canada on an official visit, returning to Italy in 1921. During 1920 Mr. Clarke was assigned a special trade mission to Switzerland, writing a report in pamphlet form on "Trading With Switzerland." In the Fall of 1921 he represented the Canadian Government at the Interparliamentary Conference of Commerce held at Venice.

Important Missions

In 1922 Mr. Clarke was assigned a special mission to Tunis, Algeria, Morocco, Spain and Portugal, writing trade reports afterward on these countries.

In 1923 Mr. Clarke was entrusted with a mission to Greece, Turkey, Rumania, Bulgaria, Jugo-Slavia, Hungary and Austria, writing official reports for publication on these countries.

In December, 1923, the Ministers of Finance and Trade and Commerce entrusted Mr. Clarke with a special mission to Spain for the purpose of negotiating a commercial treaty between Canada and Spain. Mr. Clarke spent five months at Madrid, and his mission resulted in effecting a commercial agreement between the two countries mentioned, which came into force on April 20, 1925. This was the first time a trade commissioner had been employed on work of this diplomatic nature.

The Minister of Trade and Commerce sent Mr. Clarke, in June, 1925, on a delicate mission to Greece, where he had in hand special tariff negotiations which resulted favorably for Canada.

In October, 1925, Mr. Clarke was appointed director of the commercial intelligence service or that branch of the Federal Government having charge of the promotion of Canadian export trade.

Hijacker Is Young

OGDEN, Utah, Dec. 2.—A small boy went to the police station yesterday requesting arrest of a man who had choked him.

"What was the trouble?" the police asked him.

"Well, I've been hiding in an alley watching where the bootleggers hide their bottles. Then I dig them up and sell them for $1 a bottle. One guy caught me and choked me."

The police asked for a demonstration of boose farreting, and the boy led them to an alley. He found a likely spot and dug with his hands, soon producing a pint bottle of moonshine.

The Rhyming Optimist

By Aline Michaelis

December days! What joys they bring, what foes to all dejection, increasing, as the years take wing, the bliss of introspection!. It seems their breezes brisk must blow all frets and cares behind us, the while their ranks of ice and snow of vanished joys remind us. December days, with wonder filled, what freight of mirth and laughter! Their echoes from past seasons trilled still greet us long years after. In all their artless pleasure we share, for lore gleaned long ago brings back our own past treasure. December days! To what a strain of mirth and merry-making their bright hours go! A happy train of joyous memories waking! Oh, let who will sing praise of May and laud June's glowing weather, December days are far more gay than all the rest together.

FIFTY YEARS AGO TODAY

(From The Daily British Colonist, December 3rd, 1876)

Coal—The steamer Reaper towed the three-masted schooner T. D. Harriman from Nanaimo to sea yesterday. The schooner is bound for San Francisco. She has a cargo of Newcastle coal for the Pacific Mail Steamship Co. The Mail Co. intend to put on several sailing vessels to carry coal between Nanaimo and San Francisco.

Arrived—The steamer Enterprise arrived from the Mainland about 3.30 p.m. yesterday with the following passengers: Mr. and Mrs. Dewdney, Mr. and Mrs. Jackson, Mrs. Jelly, Mrs. Todd, Capt. Reeves, Rev. Mr. McGregor, Capt. Burten, L. L. Moore, Warbas, Charlton, Mellirt, Mitchell and J. Kirkland.

Play Tomorrow—A match at billiards has been arranged for tomorrow night between two celebrated local billiard players named J. Weldon and W. Nellis, to be played at the Adelphi Saloon for forty dollars a side.

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WILL SHOW MODEL OF CARLSBAD CAVERN

Mr. Frederic C. Hodsell Will Exhibit Models of Local Scenes at Memorial Hall Today

Colored photographic models, electrically illuminated, made by a local artist, will be on exhibition in the Memorial Hall this afternoon and evening. Among the most realistic of the models is a striking view of the famous Carlsbad Cavern in New Mexico, recently set apart as a national memorial by the United States Government. The relief work in the model gives an excellent impression of the magnificance and form of the stalactites and stalagmites. Some of the limestone formations suggest fountains and animals drinking from them. One world traveler has described this cavern, with its decorated chambers, as being "like something out of the Arabian Nights."

Other models, which are all the work of Mr. Frederic C. Hodsell, of the Artura Studio, will depict local scenes, including Mr. Hodsell's latest model of the new Christ Church Cathedral.

A view of the Straits with the Olympic Mountains and also the new C.P.R. steamship, Princess Marguerite, is shown in one model, while the Butchart Gardens make a picturesque setting for another.

An example of the excellent publicity value of these models for Victoria will be seen in Mr. Hodsell's representation of Parliament Square, showing the Provincial Government Building in bold relief; the new C.P.R. depot and the Empress Hotel.

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Results Issued of Competitions at Egg Show Here Last Week

The following are the prize winners in the competitions held in connection with the egg show at the Armories last week:

Natural History Competition—1, J. W. Eastham, 4569 First Avenue W., Vancouver; 2, T. Eames, Courtenay; 3, Major Drummond, Fulford Harbor.

The correct list of bird's eggs shown is as follows: emu, swan, Canada goose, seagull, black oyster catcher, ancient murrillet, Alaska mallard (freak), wild mallard, ptarmigan, killdeer, turkey (freak), hen's egg (freak).

The Intelligence Contest winners were: 1, Mrs. Hopkins, 646 Bay Street, Victoria; 2, Mrs. G. S. Carr, 33 Government Street, Victoria; 3, G. Black, 1970 Ernest Avenue, Victoria.

Man Frozen to Death In Middle West State

CHICAGO, Dec. 2.—Winter laid siege to the eastern half of the country today after a sudden sortie out of the northwest that gave December a shivering debut in the plains states. Temperatures rose slightly from near zero in the Central West today. The premature Winter weather cost two lives in the Midwest, imperilled many others and worked havoc in Great Lakes shipping. With Minnesota blanketed with snow and chilled by gusty winds, Clyde Gaskill, forty-five, was found frozen to death near Austin, and Andrew Korjak was found dead along the Illinois Central Railroad tracks at Chicago.

High winds whipped the lakes into heavy seas and with ports clogged with ice, shipping men thought skippers would not attempt to keep the lakes open any longer.

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COMMISSIONERS HEAR PROVINCE'S EXPERT

Case of Reduction of British Columbia Railway Rates Occupies Greater Part of Day

OTTAWA, Dec. 2.—Evidence in support of British Columbia's claim for equalization of freight rates was placed on record throughout today's hearing of the freight rates investigation. The final hearing by the Board of Railway Commissioners for Canada of the case for and against a downward revision of the general rate structure in Canada has completed its third day, but only the fringe of it has been touched upon. Counsel for the Province of British Columbia placed on record the submissions of his province by analysis of the charts and statistics prepared by D. O. Lewis, a rates expert employed by the Pacific Coast province. Mr. Lewis was the sole witness of the day.

That the cost of railway operation in the mountain section was not much greater than on the Prairie section and that the volume of traffic supplied by British Columbia and Western Alberta was greater than railways were willing to admit, were two of the submissions made. One comparison after another was placed in evidence in an effort to show that the mountain scale of rates should not be higher than the Prairie and North Shore scales. Gradients on the prairies and in the United States were compared with those of the British Columbia lines, and it was claimed that the latter were not more difficult on the whole.

ELKS' MEMORIAL RITES ON SUNDAY

Victoria Lodge Will Hold Special Service in First Baptist Church to Honor Departed Brothers

On the first Sunday in December each year, members of the Benevolent Protective Order of Elks throughout the Dominion of Canada and Newfoundland attend special divine service, held in memory of their departed Elk brothers.

Victoria Lodge, No. 2, B.P.O.E., will hold its annual memorial service on Sunday afternoon in the First Baptist Church, on Quadra Street, commencing at 3 o'clock.

The memorial oration will be delivered by the Rev. James Strachan, pastor of the First Baptist Church. The Rev. Mr. Strachan is an able, impressive speaker, and he will have an appropriate message for the Elks and their friends.

A fine programme of singing will be provided during the ceremonies, which will be conducted by the officers of the local Elks lodge. The names of lodge members who have died will be read out, and impressive tribute paid to their memory.

The public is invited to join with the Victoria Elks in the annual memorial ceremonies here Sunday afternoon.

MOSES' AQUATIC TRIP GIVEN AS PRECEDENT

Biblical Story Quoted in Defence of Mohammedan Woman Accused of Abandoning Child

Moses in the bulrushes recently served as an effective legal precedent in a criminal suit at Serajevo, in which a young Mohammedan woman was accused of abandoning her infant and exposing it to whatever fate might befall it. As she was penniless, the court assigned a lawyer to defend her. After the public prosecutor had moved for her conviction and sentence, the lawyer made a counter-motion for her acquittal. The judge was astonished, as there was no doubt of the facts in the case, and asked him if he was in earnest.

"Certainly."

"On what grounds?"

Drawing a Bible from his pocket, the advocate asked if the court believed in the book.

"Assuredly."

"Then," said the advocate, "I appeal to this book, for a precedent, not only for the acquittal but for the rewarding of this unhappy woman."

After reflection, the court observed: "The precedent is well taken, and the motion for acquittal is granted. May the child prosper, as did his illustrious predecessor in Egypt."

CONSOLIDATION OF MINING PROPERTIES AT STEWART EXPECTED

A consolidation of mining properties in the Stewart district under the name of the L. & L. Consolidated Mines, Limited, has been carried into effect. The merging of properties takes in the L. & L. Glacier Creek Mines, Ltd., the Rush-Columbia, and some other claims that lie beside the holdings.

The announcement is made by Gillespie, Hart & Todd, who are the financial agents for the company, that in consequence of the consolidation the work will be prosecuted looking to the opening up of the property in a commercial way.

The directors of the company are as follows:

Mr. John Hart, former Minister of Finance; Principal W. K. Beech, of the Vancouver Technical Schools; Mr. W. A. Webb, of the Western Fuel Company; Capt. Joseph Mayers, of New Westminster, and Mr. Ray F. Castle, of Victoria.

Another Arrest Is Made In San Francisco Cases

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 2.—Albert (Monk) Young, said by the government investigators to be a "rather important principal in the supposed coastwise rum smuggling ring, which was made the subject of a number of recent secret indictments, surrendered at the Federal Building today and was released on $20,000 bond. Five others named in the indictment surrendered yesterday.

The warrants which were based on the indictments, charge attempts to violate the Federal prohibition laws.

Seaman Released

PORTLAND, Dec. 2.—A man giving his name as Seaman Neskovich, arrested in Vancouver, Washington, tonight, and questioned in connection with the death here of Mrs. Blanche Myers, was released by Portland police tonight.

M. Berenger Declines Post of Ambassador

M. HENRI BERENGER

Who has declined the second renewal of his appointment as ambassador to the United States. When notified by Foreign Minister Briand that the council of ministers had decided to renew his commission for another six months, M. Berenger immediately submitted a long letter, in which he recalled that he went to Washington to negotiate the debt fund settlement, and added: "I fulfilled the mission you entrusted to me."

EX-ALDERMAN AND EX-MAYOR PROPOSE POLICE CANDIDATE

Of the nineteen citizens formally nominated yesterday as candidates in the forthcoming elections, one, it is interesting to note, is proposed by an ex-mayor and an ex-alderman of this city.

The candidate occupying this unique position is Mr. W. W. Hall, who has entered the contest for the one vacant seat on the Board of Police Commissioners. Mr. Hall is proposed by Mr. M. P. Blair, who has served the city in the capacity of alderman, and seconded by Dr. Lewis Hall, who was mayor of Victoria for two years, and has also been alderman and school trustee.

Increase Awarded

NEW YORK, Dec. 2.—Fourteen and one-half million dollars were added to the annual wages of virtually 91,000 employes of fifty eastern railroads by a railroad arbitration board decision today.

The decision, climax of a year's dispute over wage increase demands of trainmen, conductors, baggagemen and flagmen, was rendered almost coincident with announcement of L. R. Gwyn, vice-president of the American Railway Express Company, and leaders of unions representing 65,000 employes that they too had decided to arbitrate a wage dispute that has been under discussion since October, 1925.

MINIMUM WAGE ACT IS UPHELD

Court of Appeal Gives Judgment in Case of Convicted Lumbermen—Mr. Justice Galliher Dissents

The Court of Appeal has upheld British Columbia's Minimum Wage Act. Judgment to this effect was handed down by the court at a special session held here at the Court House yesterday. Mr. Justice Galliher dissented from the decision.

The judgment dealt with the appeal against the conviction of Robertson & Hackett Sawmills, Limited, which was fined $10 in a test case in the Vancouver Police Court, the conviction being afterwards upheld by Chief Justice Hunter in Supreme Court Chambers.

The case for the lumbermen was argued by Mr. J. W. deB. Farris, K.C., before the Court of Appeal in Vancouver, while the Crown was represented by Mr. Dugald Donaghy and Mr. Oscar Orr. Mr. Farris claimed that the Act under which the board had fixed a minimum wage in the lumbering industry provided for complete and thorough inquiry into all lines of industry and not into one particular line, contending that the board had been guilty of serious discrimination in doing so.

It is understood that the lumbermen may carry the case to the Supreme Court of Canada.

The court also dismissed the appeal of Gurditta, a Hindu, against the indictment for perjury by the grand jury at the Vancouver Fall Assizes. Gurditta was indicted following an action before Mr. Justice Morrison in the Supreme Court in Vancouver in which he was a litigant in proceedings against another Hindu named Brama.

Clergyman to Be Asked To Prove His Statement

WINNIPEG, Dec. 2.—Charges made by the Rev. R. B. Cochrane, of Augustine Church, that he had seen "more drunkenness in a week in Winnipeg than he saw in a year under prohibition in Ontario," has aroused the authorities to action. Alderman A. H. Pulford, chairman, has summoned the minister to appear before the commission today to substantiate his charges.

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Rhodes Scholar Named For Manitoba Province

WINNIPEG, Dec. 2.—Ross McLean, of Winnipeg, has been appointed Manitoba Rhodes Scholar for 1926. Mr. McLean was born in Manitoba, matriculated from Brandon College in 1921, entered the University of Manitoba in 1922, and has been prominent in university circles for the past four years.

High Price Is Paid For Championship Beef

CHICAGO, Dec. 2.—Rupert B., the grand champion steer of the International Livestock Exhibition, was sold at auction today for the record-breaking price of $3.60 a pound. The steer weighed 965 pounds and was bought by Wilson & Company for the Sherborn Hotel, Atlantic City.

Rupert B. is a Hereford, owned by the Oklahoma Agricultural College, Stillwater, Okla. Last year's champion, Mah Jong, sold for $3 a pound.

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Imported Demerara Sugar, 3 lbs. 25¢
Black Buck English Worcester Sauce, bottle 10¢
Choice Seedless Raisins, 2 lbs. 25¢
Extra Large Fancy Seedless Raisins, per lb. 13¢
Fancy Australian Sultanas, lb. 20¢

Sunlight Soap, per pkg. 20c
Snowflake Flour, 24-lb. sack $1.20

Morton's St. Vincent Arrowroot, regular 45c pkt. for 35¢
Empress Jelly Powders, 4 pkts. 25¢
Empress Jams, all kinds; regular 30c jar for 23¢
Smyrna Natural Figs, 3 lbs. 25¢
Argood Tomato Catsup, regular 35c tin for 25¢
Evangeline Cider, bottle 20¢
Finest White or Brown Beans, 4 lbs. for 25¢
Rogers' Syrup, 2 lb. tin 16¢

Pink Salmon, small tin 5c
Vinolia White Iris Toilet Soap, regular 50c box for 25c

National Lemon Snaps, 3 pkts 25¢
Ginger Snaps, in small barrels; regular 60c for 49¢
Huntley & Palmer's Dinner Biscuits, regular 45c pkt. for 35¢
Huntley & Palmer's Digestive Biscuits, regular $1.25 tin for 95¢
Almond Paste, ready for the cake; regular 60c lb. for 48¢
Hard and Soft Chocolates, assorted; regular 35c lb. for 25¢
Baker's Diamond Chocolate Bar, 4¢
Crystallized Ginger, regular 45c lb. for 35¢

Christie's Assorted Biscuits, regular 50c lb. for 43c
French Creams and Jelly Mixed Candy, regular 35c lb. for 25c

Small Cooking Apples, per box 65c
Florida Grapefruit, 3 for 25c

Jap Oranges, box 85¢
Fancy Table Pears, 4 lbs. for 25¢
Fancy Grapes, 2 lbs. for 25¢
New Dates, 2 lbs. for 21¢
Mixed Nuts, 2 lbs. for 35¢
Jonathan Apples, 5 lbs. for 25¢
Good Lemons, dozen 15¢
Crap Apples, 15 lbs. for 25¢
California Grapefruit, each 5¢
Fresh Comb Honey, each 25¢

Ripe Bananas, dozen 33c
Okanagan Baldwin Apples, 9 lbs. 50c

Fresh Carrots, 13 lbs. for 25¢
Good Onions, 12 lbs. for 25¢
Fresh Brussels Sprouts, 3 lbs. 25¢
Netted Gem Potatoes, 10 lbs. for 25¢
Large Head Lettuce, each 10¢
Fresh Root Artichokes, 5 lbs. for 25¢

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Picnic Hams, per lb. 22¢
Sugar Cured Hams, whole or half; per lb. 40¢
Cottage Rolls, per lb. 32¢
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Ham Bologna, sliced; per lb. 18¢
Ontario Mild Cheese, per lb. 25¢
Kraft Cheese, per lb. 37¢
Peanut Butter, per lb. 15¢
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Fresh Beef Hearts, each 25¢
Fresh Beef Sausages, 2 lbs. 25¢
Fresh Tomato Sausages, lb. 15¢
Small White Rabbits, lb. 23¢
Nice Fresh Tripe, 3 lbs. 25¢
Fresh Killed Boiling Fowls, per lb. 25c
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Fresh Cod Fillets, per lb. 20¢
Fresh Olympia Oysters, per pint, 75¢
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City & District

Tourist Luncheon—There will be a luncheon meeting of the Tourist Trade Group of the Chamber of Commerce today at noon in the cafe of the Chamber.

Directors Will Meet—There will be a luncheon meeting of the directors of the Chamber of Commerce today at noon. There are a number of routine matters to come up at this session which will be held in the dining-room of the chamber.

Union Meets Government—There will be a meeting of the executive of the Union of B.C. Municipalities today when the various matters that were disposed of at the meeting of the union held in Vernon this Summer will be laid before the members of the Government.

Ward Two Liberals—Ward Two Liberals will hold a regular meeting in the Liberal Club rooms at Government and Broughton Streets, on Monday, at 8 p.m. Plans for re-organization and future social events will be up for discussion, and all city Liberals are invited to attend.

Mails to Yukon—The public is advised that mails for Yukon Territory, in order to reach their destinations about Christmas, must be mailed not later than 1:30 p.m. on December 11. Parcels for points north of White Horse cannot be forwarded unless they are paid at letter rates of postage.

Police Dance Tonight—Another of the popular weekly dances of the Victoria City Police will be held tonight at the recreation hall, in the Police Station, Fisgard Street. Dancing will be enjoyed from 8:30 p.m. to 11:30 p.m., and Art Bishop's melody makers will provide the newest dance numbers. Refreshments will be served during the evening.

Radio Club to Meet—The monthly meeting of the Victoria Radio Club will be held this evening, commencing at 8 o'clock in the club's new quarters at the pavilion on Dallas Road, almost facing Linden Avenue. At this meeting Mr. J. W. Frampton will commence his series of lectures on "The Theory of Electricity." All members are requested to attend and the public is cordially invited. Take Foul Bay street car to Linden Avenue and walk to Dallas Road.

Cathedral Bazaar—The Christ Church Cathedral Women's Auxiliary bazaar will be opened this afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. There are a number of attractively arranged stalls, including fancy and plain sewing, home cooking, candy, generous goose, and other attractions for the young people and Christmas novelties. Afternoon teas will be served and the bazaar will continue during the evening. A special feature will be illuminated models and a collection of missionary articles.

With the Ex-Service Organizations

In Victoria and District

Mock Trial Postponed

The mock trial which was to have been held at the Victoria unit Army and Navy Veterans' Association quarters on Saturday next is unavoidably postponed until December 11. A full rehearsal is called for Saturday next at 9 p.m.

Joint Meeting

The officers of the Army and Navy Veterans will be hosts to the ex-service men of Victoria on Wednesday, December 8, when the first of a series of joint meetings arranged by the United ex-Service social committee, which represents all ex-service organizations, will be held in their rooms, 512 Fort Street, at 8 o'clock.

The club rooms of each organization will be used in succession for the combined meetings; and the Army and Navy Veterans are determined to make the initial meeting an outstanding success.

Brief speeches of particular interest to ex-service men and dependents will be given, including one by Comrade Sedger, soldiers' advocate, on the subject of appeals.

Members of all ex-service organizations and unattached men are cordially invited to attend.

NINETEEN ENTER CIVIC CONTEST

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and report on arrangements for voting are expected to simplify the casting of ballots, reduce expenses and relieve congestion at the polling booths.

The nominations are as follows:

For Mayor

*PENDRAY, John Carl, 241 Belleville Street, paint manufacturer; proposed by David S. Spencer, seconded by R. H. B. Ker.

For Aldermen (Five to Be Elected)

ADAM, James, 1160 Richardson Street, merchant; proposed by George Jay, seconded by John Cochrane.

ANDROS, Edwin Brenton, 644 Linden Avenue, retired; proposed by James Forman, seconded by W. J. Mable.

*BROWN, Percival Robert, 1408 Stadacona Avenue, broker; proposed by John Cochrane, seconded by Walter S. Chambers.

*CLEARIHUE, Joseph Badenoch, 1188 Hampshire Road, barrister-at-law; proposed by James W. Maynard, jr., seconded by M. J. Little.

*CULLIN, William H., 144 Wellington Street, retired; proposed by Duncan E. Campbell, seconded by W. J. Mable.

DAY, John, 880 Madison Street, merchant; proposed by Reginald Hayward, seconded by Owen Copas.

LITCHFIELD, Henry Oswald, 1147 Hilda Street, merchant; proposed by J. W. Spencer, seconded by James Fletcher.

*SHANKS, James Arthur, 1281 Fairfield Road, barber; proposed by Ernest A. Hall, seconded by John A. Danes.

WELLBURN, Mathew B., 1331 Grant Street, merchant; proposed by G. A. Porter, seconded by A. H. Peacey.

*WOODWARD, Eugene Sidney, 1325 Carlin Street, business agent; proposed by David Miller, seconded by Arthur Lee.

WORTHINGTON, John Arthur, 247 Government Street, realtor; proposed by Richard Bray, seconded by John A. Scott.

*Signifies retiring member.

School Trustees (Three to Be Elected)

GEORGE, Percival Edward, 3171 Mars Street, phonograph manufacturer; proposed by Cecil H. Gray, seconded by Victor McN. Rolfe.

*JAY, George, 1043 Belmont Avenue, barrister-at-law; proposed by James Fletcher, seconded by John Cochrane.

McMILLAN, James S., 2320 Lee Street, commercial artist; proposed by James Forman, seconded by T. S. Gore.

*MORESBY, William Charles, 624 Trutch Street, barrister-at-law; proposed by James Forman, seconded by J. E. Wilson.

*STRAITH, William Thomas, 19 Cook Street, barrister-at-law; proposed by Benjamin C. Nicholas, seconded by J. G. MacFarlane.

*Signifies retiring member.

For Police Commission (One)

HALL, William Walter, 822 Linden Avenue, druggist; proposed by M. P. Blair, seconded by Lewis Hall.

McGAVIN, Andrew, 509 Cornwall Street, tire dealer; proposed by James Forman, seconded by W. A. Jamieson.

*STANELAND, Walter Ernest, 1707 Richmond Road, paint manufacturer; proposed by J. W. Spencer, seconded by W. H. Bone.

*Signifies retiring Commissioner.

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Proceedings Not at All Sensational—Singapore Plans and Their Value Outlined

LONDON, Dec. 2.—Speeches delivered by Premier Stanley Baldwin of Great Britain, and the Dominion Premiers on the subject of Imperial defence were issued tonight.

In his address, Premier Mackenzie King expressed appreciation of the service demonstrations viewed by the Dominion Premiers, adding that they indicated the need for all parts of the Empire to keep abreast of defence developments. The remainder of his speech dealt mainly with Dominion defence organization.

Premier Baldwin, at the outset, stressed the rigid adherence of successive governments to the advisory and consultative character of the Committee on Imperial Defence, throughout all its developments, and the elasticity of the membership thereof to enable the Dominions and India to take advantage of the facilities of the committee to any extent they desired. They could accept, modify or reject its advice, he said. He hoped the Dominions and India would avail themselves of the advantages of the recently established Imperial Defence College.

Referring to the Singapore naval base scheme, Premier Baldwin stated that the present programme of work was limited to what would be essential to make possible the utilization of the floating dock after its arrival. The Government had recently decided to adopt the reduced scheme advanced by the Admiralty, the Premier said. Nevertheless, the expenditure would be of the heaviest kind, even after allowing for the reduction.

Those Especially Interested

"We came to the conclusion after careful consideration," Premier Baldwin continued, "that it would be a vital security to the Empire if this scheme were proceeded with, because it is essential that the fleet shall have full freedom of movement throughout the Empire. Therefore, I have asked the Dominions especially interested in the Far East to consider most carefully whether there is any way in which they can co-operate for the development of Singapore, either now or within the next few years. There could be no more valuable contribution for the defence of the Empire as a whole."

The British Prime Minister said considerable progress had been made in the continuous investigation into precautions necessary in the event of air raids. A scheme against war had been worked out. Plans also had been worked out for the insurance of ships and cargoes against war risks.

Arbitration to Be Made With Express Employees

NEW YORK, Dec. 2.—Articles of arbitration were signed today by L. R. Gwyn, vice-president of the American Express Company and union representatives covering a wage dispute, under negotiation since October, 1925, affecting 65,000 express employees. Arbitration proceedings are to be held under the Railway Labor Act. The labor organizations involved are the Brotherhood of Railway Clerks, the Order of Railway Expressmen and the American Federation of Expressmen.

The average pay of a railway clerk was said by the company to be $4.30 a day. The increase asked for was 11½ and 12 cents an hour.

Vestey Interests Are Far From Eliminated

LONDON, Dec. 2.—Lord Vestey, in a statement to the newspapers, emphatically denies a report cabled from Chicago that the Vestey interests have virtually been eliminated from the Argentine-European meat trade through an agreement having been reached.

"Vesteys are not retiring from the packing business. On the contrary, they are handling a larger tonnage of South American meat than ever before," he says.

ONTARIO METHOD IS FORECASTED

LIQUOR CONTROL LEGISLATION OF OTHER PROVINCES WILL BE STUDIED

Details of Regulation Will Be Left Largely to Commission to Be Appointed

TORONTO, Dec. 2.—Conservative members elected were brought up to seventy-five late this afternoon, when Sturgeon Falls was conceded to the Conservative candidate.

Copies of the government control acts adopted by other provinces are already on file at the Legislative Buildings, and these will be carefully studied in drafting the new measure for Ontario. The opinion was expressed at the buildings today that the act would not be burdened with details, and that a lot would be left to the judgment of the commission which the Government will appoint to administer the act. Such details as the amount of liquor a person will be permitted to purchase at one time, the number and location of the Government stores, and the question of delivery of packages, were mentioned as likely to be left to the commission.

Dry Districts

Regarding the chances of districts, now dry under local option, securing liquor stores, a member-elect expressed the opinion today that they would secure shops only by passing by-laws permitting them, after the people of these districts had approved by a three-fifths vote.

This was a feature of the old local option act; districts banished liquor by casting at least three votes in five to do so, and could bring it back again only by voting three to five in favor.

Hundreds of telegrams from all sections of the province and some from other parts of Canada and the United States arrived at the Premier's office today congratulating him on his victory at the polls yesterday.

Governor-General Healy Hooted by Disturbers

DUBLIN, Dec. 2.—Governor-General Timothy Healy, withdrew from the royal box of Gaiety Theatre, Tuesday night, when he was hooted by disturbers in the audience. He later returned.

He was in the box and the performance was in progress when a man in the audience rose and shouted: "Three boos for Healy, the British King's representative." There was a vigorous response and the Governor-General left the box.

When he returned the scene was repeated, but this time the police were called and the disturbers hurriedly left the theatre.

Missing Girl Found

PRAIRIE DU CHIEN, Wis., Dec. 2.—The body of Clara Olsen, missing since September 9, was found today near Mount Sterling, Wis., by an organized searching party.

Buried in a clump of leaves, four miles from Mount Sterling, the body of the girl was recovered by searchers, who had set out at daybreak today to comb Crawford County with only the premonition of her father for assurance that the girl was dead.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Today—Cathedral (W.A.) missionary bazaar and sale of work with exhibition of illuminated photographic models, in Memorial Hall, Vancouver and Courtney Streets, afternoon and evening. Decorated stalls displaying miscellaneous articles, fancywork, etc. Generous goose for children. Home cooking and afternoon tea. Proceeds for missionary work.

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Women's Canadian Club — Tea Tuesday, Empress Hotel, 2:45 p.m. Programme of music; speaker, Graham Spry, Association secretary. Tea, 50c.

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WINNIPEG, Dec. 2.—Two persons were injured and a number of freight cars were badly damaged in the C.P.R. yards here this morning when three freight trains figured in an unusual collision.

One freight train collided with the rear end of another, several cars of which were smashed and a portion of the wreckage struck two cars in another freight train running on a parallel track, badly damaging them.

Conductor L. Young suffered scalp wounds and Brakeman J. Walker, a broken leg.

Sequin Gowns Are Favored

Satin Shoes to Match Evening Dresses Are Generally Worn—Grey and Blonde Satin for Afternoon Shoes

On the stage the ostrich feathers and supple sequins are now in great favor in revue and musical comedy, while quieter fashions find their best expression in less frivolous plays, says an article in The London Times. Period dressing is also seen in light opera and historical comedy.

A most elaborately dressed piece is "Sunny" at the Hippodrome, in which there are wonderful dresses built up of sequins, and huge trains of ostrich plumes, as well as simple out-of-door clothes, of which Miss Binnie Hale's jumper suit of green-blue georgette, with its tucks, fringed bow of gold, and a gold belt, is a good example. Apart from the more spectacular clothes, in the evening scene on deck the chorus have little corners of gleaming paillettes set upon their fussy silk tulle skirts, which are tied with big velvet sashes. Miss Elsie Randolph has a white frock with four tiers of fringe on the skirt, and Miss Nancy Lovat has a frock of silver and green ostrich feathers. In the wedding scene Miss Hale's silver and white train is as long as her fringed frock was short. The color scheme of the bridal retinue, with contrasting dresses and bouquets, is full of new suggestions. The enormous feather fans in the last act are so new that they seem old-fashioned. It is many years now since so many plumes waved at the same time.

Modern Dresses

Some good modern dresses are worn in Charlot's Show at the Prince of Wales' Theatre, but the prettiest thing in the show is the see-saw scene, where Jessie Matthews, in a shiny blue gym tunic, dances with Anton Dolin, in a shiny red suit. Miss Sunday Wilshin has a good silver frock, made with panels, in the sketch "Yours to Hand," and an amusing commentary on how the same dress looks on different figures is seen in "The One Woman in the World" sketch, where a white frock with frills edged with green is seen on successive ladies. In "Tip-Toes," at the Winter Garden, the chorus is dressed in charming color schemes; in one grouping half the girls are in lavender georgette, with flower motifs at one side, while the others are in blue and green taffetas, with velvet flowers applied on the side; and in another scene the chorus wear green panne with true-lovers' knots inset in silver. Miss Dorothy Dickson wears some distinguished clothes; a green frock with a skirt of long silk fringe; an apricot and pink frock, embroidered in diamante, and a white frock with a feathered skirt. In this piece boleros and wide sleeves are noticeable, and panne and embroideries are used cleverly in delicate color schemes.

New Bolero

Miss Marie Tempest, who always wears well-thought-out dresses, wears in the first act of "The Scarlet Lady," at the Criterion, a delightful negligee of peach georgette, with a sleeveless gold lace coat; later she has a most becoming jumper suit of primrose crepe de Chine. Her evening gown in the last act shows the new bolero; it is of gold lame and lace, with the bolero, longer at the back than the front and bordered in gold fringe. Miss Fabia Drake looks well in the riding kit in which she appears in the first act. Her simple geranium-colored georgette evening frock, with its tied bow at the shoulder and well-arranged draperies, with a small posy of flowers at one side, is also good. Miss Alice O'Day has a neat evening frock with a clever diagonal fringe. In "Love Adrift," at the Gaiety, the beauty of modern supple panne velvets and satin beaute is to be seen in the gorgeous gowns of the crinoline period.

Satin shoes to match evening dresses are now generally worn on the stage in preference to gold or silver kid. Miss Binnie Hale dances in sandal shoes—a new fashion. With afternoon gowns many blond or grey satin shoes are often worn, as they are also with out-of-door clothes, instead of glace kid. Why leather makes the feet look larger on the stage than in private life is hard to say, but kid shoes, whether of gold, silver, or dyed leather, somehow do not look well from the front.

Women's Clubs And Societies

Silver Tea

In spite of inclement weather an unusually large number of visitors was welcomed to a silver tea and sale of work held by kind permission of Mrs. Sylvester at her home on Fort Street on Wednesday afternoon, and by reason of which the funds of the Women's Auxiliary to the Tubercular Veterans' Association were augmented by well over $50. Masses of red chrysanthemums were used in the reception rooms, while a large basket of bronze chrysanthemums centred the tea table. Tea was served under the direction of Mrs. R. Campbell, assisted by the Misses Sylvester. The stalls were in charge of the following: Home cooking, Mrs. Booth and Mrs. Brooker; fancy and plain sewing, Mrs. Robson; fish pond, Mrs. Raven; candy, Mrs. Gordon and Mrs. Leblanc. Miss Thain rendered several piano solos during the afternoon and Mrs. Lefebre, accompanied by Mrs. Andrews, sang a number of songs. The sum realized will be used to help furnish the new headquarters of the T.V.A.

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Camosun Chapter

Plans for the presentation of a suitable gift to the High School to commemorate the diamond jubilee of Confederation were made at the meeting of the Camosun Chapter, I.O.D.E., on Wednesday afternoon, Mrs. F. R. Hartley, the regent, was in the chair. The reports of various committees were given, the announcement that Mrs. Wrigleswortb and her committee, including Mesdames Kippen, Bentley, Miles and Campbell had decorated the graves of twenty-nine veterans for Armistice Day, being received with gratification. The chapter voted $10 for Christmas hampers, and Mrs. Hopkins and Mrs. S. G. Moody will help pack them at the Municipal Chapter headquarters. Mrs. P. E. Corby was chosen to represent the chapter on the newly-organized Boy Scouts' Auxiliary.

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Women's Educational Club

The Women's Educational Auxiliary to the United Church, will hold a tea on Thursday at the Metropolitan Sunday School. There will be stalls of fancy and plain sewing, candy and home cooking. The proceeds will be used for the furnishing of the new Union College in Vancouver. There are forty rooms and the Educational Auxiliary has undertaken to furnish these. The local auxiliary has six rooms at two hundred dollars each. It is hoped that some of these rooms will be furnished by individual subscriptions or by organizations interested in the work of the United Church.

JOINT BANQUET HELD BY SERVICE CLUBS

Members of Rotary and Kumtuks Clubs Take Part in Mock Trial, Followed by Dance

The Victoria Rotary Club and the Kumtuks Club held their annual joint banquet last evening at the Empress Hotel, one hundred and eighty members of both clubs being present. Addresses were given by Miss Wigley, president of the Kumtuks, and Mr. E. Tomlin, president of the Rotary Club. Following the dinner a mock trial was arranged by the Rotarians in which Mr. P. B. Scurrah, the accused, was charged with misrepresentation of goods at the Rotary Superfluities Sale. Witnesses and exhibits were produced. A jury was empanelled from the ranks of the Kumtukians, and Mr. D. C. Abell was a most able judge, with Mr. Frank Sehl and Mr. R. Webb as prosecuting and defending attorneys.

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French-Canadian Folk-Song Recitalist Here

Charles Marchand reached Victoria yesterday afternoon in the course of his tour under the auspices of the National Council of Education. This evening he will appear in recital of French-Canadian folk songs at the First United Church, commencing at 8:15 o'clock.

Following the custom inaugurated by the National Council of Education with all its speakers, Mr. Marchand will go to the Victoria High School and Victoria College this morning to give a brief programme before the students. In Vancouver his recital at the King Edward High School appealed so strongly to the students that the whole student body of nearly 1,600, on their own initiative, attended his second recital, paying for the privilege of hearing him on this occasion. Tickets for tonight's recital may be obtained at the door of the church.

Armories Egg Show

Mr. J. R. Terry, Parliament Buildings, states that the lady who won one dozen eggs at the egg show in the Armories on Friday night and did not call for them, may obtain the eggs by telephoning the Poultry Department.

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Society and Women's Affairs

Tea Party

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Hostess at Bridge Tea

Mrs. H. B. Andrews entertained with four tables of bridge yesterday afternoon at her home on Davie Street, when her guests included Mrs. J. H. Gray, Mrs. H. A. Munn, Mrs. Thornton Marshall, Mrs. Bennett-Thompson, Mrs. Dudley Green, Mrs. Baugh-Allen, Mrs. H. A. Maclean, Mrs. Hextall, Mrs. Fisher, Mrs. Harford, Mrs. Youdall, Mrs. Layborn, Mrs. Stephenson, Mrs. R. H. Ley, Mrs. Brooke Stephenson and Mrs. A. F. Mitchell.

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U.C.T. Holding Dance

The United Commercial Travelers will hold one of their popular dances tomorrow evening in the Knights of Columbus Hall, Government Street. An interesting dance programme has been arranged by the committee in charge.

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Visitors in City

Mr. H. E. Donald, of Chemainus, has been visiting Mr. and Mrs. F. Harber-Starkey, Goldsmith Road, this week, having come down to see the tennis matches at the Arena on Wednesday evening.

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Artist Arrives

M. Charles Marchand, the great French-Canadian interpreter of folk-songs, who will give a recital this evening at the First United Church, arrived at the Empress Hotel yesterday.

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Leaving for Holland

Miss Prins is returning today to her home in Holland after spending some months in Victoria visiting her brother, Mr. Simon Prins, McKenzie Street.

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En Route to Honolulu

Mr. and Mrs. Mist, of London, England, who arrived on the London Importer this week, are spending a fortnight at the Glenshiel Hotel on their way to Honolulu.

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In Seattle

Mrs. Albert Thompson is spending a few days in Seattle at the Olympic Hotel, with her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. William McNeill, of Vancouver.

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Here From Vancouver

Sir Charles Piers, of Vancouver, arrived in the city on Thursday and is spending a few days at the Glenshiel Hotel.

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To Spend Winter Here

Mrs. Gates, of London, England, has arrived in the city and has taken up her residence at the Glenshiel Hotel for the Winter months.

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Returning Sunday

Mr. and Mrs. Hew Patterson are expected to arrive in Victoria on Sunday afternoon after a three months' visit to England.

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At Empress Hotel

Miss Gladys Irving is a guest at the Empress Hotel. She will leave for California shortly to join her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Bowser.

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At Strathcona Hotel

Mr. Charles M. Edwards and Mr. Robert Booth have arrived from the Upper Country and are guests at the Strathcona Hotel.

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Here From New York

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Garrett, of New York, arrived in the city yesterday and are spending a few days as guests at the Empress Hotel.

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At Empress Hotel

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Willard, of Vancouver, have arrived at the Empress Hotel for a few days.

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Montreal Man Here

Mr. A. R. MacFarlane, of Montreal, is a visitor in the city, and is at the Empress Hotel.

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Tea Hostess

Mrs. R. M. Bird entertained a few friends at tea yesterday afternoon at her home on Victoria Avenue.

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From Vancouver

Mr. and Mrs. Bullock, of Vancouver, are registered at the Glenshiel Hotel.

J.B.A.A. to Hold Dance Tonight in Empress Ballroom

TICKETS for the James Bay Athletic Association's dance at the Empress Hotel tonight have been going well and a large crowd of Victoria's younger social set will be present and have a thoroughly enjoyable time. Dancing will be indulged in from 9 p.m., to 2 a.m., and the attractive programme of dance music will be played by Ivo Henderson's band of syncopators. Members of the committee arranging the fete are Messrs. Ben McMillan (chairman), Charlie Walls, Allan Pendray, Jack Speck and Douglas Hunter. Tickets may be secured at the Owl Drug Company, Fort Street, or at Wilkerson's, Douglas Street.

Keating

The Elk Lake Athletic Association will hold its annual ball in the Agricultural Hall, Saanichton, on Friday evening, December 3. An excellent orchestra has been engaged and a good evening's entertainment is assured. Dancing will commence at 9 o'clock.

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Mr. E. Braden, Mr. C. Caselton and Mr. J. A. Patterson spent the week-end enjoying the hunting in the Cobble Hill district.

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The South Saanich Young People's Society of the United Church presented their three-act comedy play, "All on Account of Polly," at the Sidney Auditorium on Friday evening. There was a splendid attendance and the proceeds will be divided between the funds of the Sidney Church Board and the local society. Miss Florence Hambley and Mr. E. Wilson kindly supplied excellent music between acts with the piano and violin.

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Mr. and Mrs. Laurence Hafer have returned to Port Angeles after visiting their parents in the district for a few days.

Sidney

The Sidney Social Club held its regular weekly card party in the dining-room of Berquist Hall on Wednesday evening, and in spite of the inclemency of the weather there was a good turnout of members and visitors, who spent a very enjoyable time at military five hundred, which was played at five tables. The prizes were presented to Mr. and Mrs. J. Crossley, Mrs. J. Hambley and Mr. R. McAuley. At the conclusion of the game Mrs. J. Peck served the dainty refreshments, and a social half-hour was enjoyed.

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Mr. and Mrs. F. T. Cliff and family, who had lived in Sidney for the past year and a half, moved this week to Victoria, where they will in future reside.

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Mr. and Mrs. Harding have moved into the house on Fourth Street recently vacated by Mr. and Mrs. Dickson, who have moved into their new home.

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Mr. and Mrs. D. Deacon have as their guests their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Alan I. Deacon, of Cape Lazo.

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Miss Dorothy Thompson, of Queen Charlotte Islands, was the week-end guest of Mrs. S. Parker, Third Street.

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Mrs. McNeil, of Fifth Street, has as her guests her mother and sister, Mrs. and Miss Ayers, of Fulford Harbor.

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The Ladies' Aid of the United Church, will hold its monthly business meeting on Wednesday, December 8, at 3 o'clock at the home of Mrs. Hollands, Third Street.

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Mr. Wilson Armstrong, who motored from Saskatchewan, and is spending the Winter months at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Armstrong, "The Maples," East Road, is at present on a fishing trip, accompanied by Mr. Decker, of Saskatchewan.

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Mr. A. Gehrke, of Port Angeles, was a business visitor here on Tuesday, and reports having sold his property on Second Street.

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The infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Wilson was christened on Sunday last at the United Church by the Rev. Mr. Lees, the little girl receiving the names of Joyce Louise. Mr. and Mrs. Harding were godparents.

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The Sidney Social Club will hold an old-time dance in the Berquist Hall on Thursday, December 9, from 9 to 1. An energetic committee has the arrangements in hand, and assure all old-time dance enthusiasts a splendid time. Brooks' three-piece orchestra will be in attendance with a programme of old-time dance favorites.

Pender Island

Messrs Walton and Harold Bowerman returned to the island on Monday from Vancouver.

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Mrs. C. Warn and Miss Hicks, of Victoria, and Miss New, of Galiano Island, gave a delightful concert at the Hope Bay Hall on Tuesday night.

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Mrs. Craddock had the misfortune to break her wrist while cranking her car, the self-starter being out of order.

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Master Jack Craddock is in Vancouver Hospital where he underwent an operation last week.

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Miss Grace Shaw, of Victoria, is staying with her aunt, Mrs. Amies, at Otter Bay.

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Mrs. Alex. Hamilton, who is in the Jubilee Hospital, Victoria, is reported as progressing favorably.

Catholic League to Hold Sale of Work

This morning at 10 o'clock the big two days' bazaar, being held by the Victoria subdivision of the Catholic Women's League, will open in the Ritz Hotel, Fort Street, and continue until 10 o'clock in the evening of both today and tomorrow. Gold and blue, the colors of the League, have been extensively and effectively used in the decorations, and the various stalls show much artistic taste and delightful color effects in their arrangements. Morning shoppers will find many splendid bargains in fancy-work and various novelties suitable for Christmas gifts. The home-cooking stall is particularly well stocked, in place of the traditional fish pond for the children there will be a gaily-decorated Christmas tree, with suitable gifts for little purchasers. "Bingo" and various guessing games and contests are provided, also an ice cream and candy booth. The "Hope Chest" will be of particular interest to home-makers. Afternoon tea and supper will be served each day.

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Women's Institutes

South Saanich

The South Saanich Women's Institute will entertain on Saturday evening, December 4, with a military five hundred card tournament, which will be held in the Temperance Hall, commencing at 8:30 o'clock. The committee in charge of the affair is composed of the Misses Florence Hafer, Hazel Lamont and Ona Young and Mrs. Butler.

Sooke and North Sooke

The monthly meeting of the Sooke and North Sooke Women's Institute will be held in Sooke Hall on Tuesday, December 7, at 2:30 p.m. The subject of taking up a home-nursing course will be discussed. A donation to the solarium will be considered. A preliminary nomination of officers for 1927 will conclude the business meeting and a social tea will be served.

Members assisting at the potato fair were as follows: For luncheon and tea, Mesdames Jackson, Doran, Muir, Holmes, Cains and Charters. At the banquet were Mrs. C. T. Muir, Mrs. Cains and Mrs. Charters. A donation was sent of pies, cake, apples and pumpkin.

Langford

A very successful card party was held at the Institute Hall on Wednesday night, under the auspices of the Women's Institute. In spite of the heavy rain there was a good attendance and the progressive game of five hundred was much enjoyed. Mrs. G. Covney and Mr. W. Savory received the first prizes, while Miss Nellie Wilson and Mr. A. Cowie the consolation. Mrs. L. O'Neil, convener of the social committee, assisted by Mrs. Wilkinson and Mrs. J. L. Brown, were hostesses for the evening.

Garden City

MARIGOLD, Dec. 2.—Garden City Women's Institute held the regular monthly meeting this afternoon in Marigold Hall. This was the final meeting of the year, and there was a good attendance. Mrs. Hall presided. Reports were received from several committees, including the treasurer's report from Mrs. Monroe, which showed the finances in a strong position. She also reported for the social committee, with two card parties held. Mrs. Stacey reported for the recent dance, showing this had also been quite successful. Entertainments will be suspended until after the holiday season. Mrs. Hall reported that a large number of members had assisted at the luncheons at the Armories last week.

The Girls' Club, organized by the Institute, will resume its activities under the direction of Mrs. Love. There will be a social by the young people on December 14. The Boys' Club will be discontinued until further notice.

The passing of Mrs. F. W. Harrison was marked with a few minutes' silence. She was a past president of the Institute.

School Trustee Mrs. Campion spoke on the work done by the Saanich Trustees. She was thanked.

The annual meeting of the Institute will be held on January 6, when officers will be elected.

Mrs. Monroe was hostess at afternoon tea.

Mrs. Dracus will convene a five hundred drive to be held in Marigold Hall under the auspices of the Institute on December 10 at 8 o'clock.

Fashions and Foibles

By Shirley Sharon

BUTTERICK 1058

The band that comes to a sudden point in the front of the blouse gives the popular bolero effect. The band at the neck is also one of the favorite style notes of the season. As for bows, her cuffs tie into bows and there is another bow at the back with long streamers. This is a very youthful frock and is particularly attractive when the bands and bows are of a contrasting color to the dress. The plaits you see at the front, end at the side back.

Weddings

Shanton-McConnell

The marriage took place on Monday evening of Miss Sarah (Sally) Hunter McConnell, second daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James McConnell, Langford Street, to Mr. Albert Shanton, of Quatsino, B.C. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. J. Smith Patterson at St. Paul's Presbyterian Manse. The bride, who was given in marriage by her father, was charming in a bouffant gown of pale pink georgette, stencilled in pastel colors. She wore a coronet of orange blossoms and carried an early Victorian bouquet of sunset roses and lilies of the valley, tied with white tulle. Her ornaments were a diamond bar pin and a choker necklace of crystal. Miss Mae McConnell was maid of honor and was gowned in pale yellow georgette and silver ribbon. Her wreath was of silver and she carried pink carnations tied with mauve tulle. Mr. Matthew McConnell was best man. The nuptial music was played by Mr. Charles Ballmore and during the signing of the register Miss Jean McClowan sang "Because." Following the ceremony a reception was held at the home of the bride's parents, where Mrs. McConnell, in a French gown of biscuit georgette, assisted in receiving the guests. The reception-rooms were decorated with chrysanthemums and foliage and a large white wedding bell. Among the gifts received was a set of silver from the employees of the Hudson's Bay Company. Mr. and Mrs. Shanton left on the midnight boat for Vancouver, en route for San Francisco. On their return they will reside at Quatsino, B.C.

To Stage Comedy

COLWOOD, Dec. 2.—The Metchosin Comedy Co. will stage its latest entertainment at the Colwood Hall on Saturday night, commencing at 8 o'clock. The proceeds are to be divided between the Metchosin and Colwood churches.

Your Most Becoming Colors

By DOROTHY STOTE

The Blonde Woman With Average Complexion

For Street Wear

The secret of the art of dressing lies in an understanding of line and in a knowledge of the blending and harmonising of colors. And to blend and harmonise colors requires a consideration not only of the colors to be used but also of the colors with which they are to come in contact. To turn things about a bit for the purpose of illustration, woman herself may be thought of as the background against which all tones are to be placed. And then, if these hues are placed with skill against their background, they themselves sink into the lesser prominence of background, and the wearer emerges as the principal subject. Which is entirely as it should be!

What, then, are the colors that will identify the blonde woman as the principal subject and lend themselves as a suitable background from which she stands out with pleasing effect? For street wear they class themselves among the fairly dark tones:

Good

Dark purplish-blue.
Medium green.
Tortoiseshell (pale clear brown).
Burnt russet.

The first two colors given are the shades that call favorable attention to blue eyes.

The blonde woman whose complexion is neither too high nor too pale can come pretty close to letting her color take care of itself, and therefore need give her main consideration to her hair. The following tones are least favorable to her hair:

Avoid

Red.
Orange.
Pure yellow.

Perhaps right here would be a good place to say something about red for blondes. In these days of bright colors, one sees red worn by blondes, and it has become more or less acceptable, but actually it is not a good color for her, tending rather to blot out her own radiance as would a strong electric light when placed next to a candle. And why choose this, then, when there are so many other thoroughly fascinating shades that are so much more friendly!

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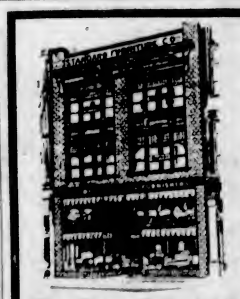
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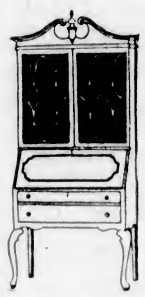

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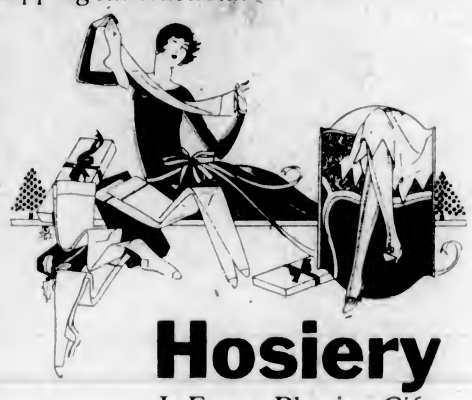

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In black and brown kid, hand-turned soles. Sizes 6 to 11. Per pair **$3.50**

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Plain and Plaid Woollen Slippers with leather soles; serviceable and warm. All sizes. Per pair ..... **$1.25, $1.50** and **$1.75**

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In black and brown, fur trimmed, lambswool lined. Sizes 4 to 7. Per pair, **$2.50**

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In rose, blue, camel, Wedgwood and purple; turn leather soles. All sizes. Per pair, **$1.50, $1.75, $1.95** and **$2.50**

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Decorated with bedtime fairy tale pictures, turn leather soles, instep style. All sizes. Per pair ..... **$1.00, $1.15** and **$1.25**

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With felt or leather soles, strap style, with bedtime rhymes. All sizes. Per pair ..... **90c, $1.00, $1.15** and **$1.25**

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In camel and plaid effects, strap style, with turn leather soles. All sizes. Per pair, **$1.00, $1.15** and **$1.25**
—Main Floor, H.B.C.

Week-End Specials on H. B. C. Food Supplies

Hudson's Bay Company's "Seal of Quality" Creamery Butter, per lb. **43c**
3 lbs. for **$1.25**
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Pure Bulk Lard, per lb. **19c**
3 lbs. for **55c**
Shamrock Brand Pure Lard, per lb. **20c**
Smoked Picnic Hams, per lb., **24c**
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Machine-Sliced Ayrshire Roll, per lb. **38c**
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Swift's Premiunf Boiled Ham, per lb. **65c**
Sliced Corned Beef, per lb. **30c**
Sliced Jellied Ox Tongue, lb., **85c**
Sliced Veal Loaf, per lb. **40c**
Sliced Bologna, per lb. **20c**
Mild Quality Ontario Cheese, per lb. **28c**
Prime Old Ontario Cheese, lb., **33c**
Hudson's Bay Company's Special Breakfast Tea, per lb. **55c**
3 lbs. for **$1.60**
Hudson's Bay Ceylon Broken Orange Pekoe Tea, per lb. **65c**
3 lbs. for **$1.90**
Hudson's Bay Company's Freshly Roasted Pure Coffee, per lb. **45c**
Finest Quality B.C. Granulated Sugar, **20**-lb. paper sack **$1.51**
Wild Rose Pastry Flour, **10**-lb. sack **49c**
New Season's Seedless Raisins, **15**-oz package **15c**
Sun-Maid Brand Puffed Seeded Muscat Raisins, per lb **14c**
3 lbs. for **40c**
Finest Quality Recleaned Australian Currants, **2** lbs. for **25c**
New Season's Imported Mixed Peel, per lb. **35c**
Three Crown Valencia Almonds, per lb. **65c**
Tiger Brand Jordan Almonds, per lb. **95c**
New Season's Three Crown Muscatel Raisins (not seeded), lb., **17c**
3 lbs. for **50c**
Choice Quality Bleached Sultana Raisins, special, per lb. **19c**
3 lbs. for **55c**
Fairy Soap, for bath and toilet, **4** cakes for **25c**
Gold Dust, large package **29c**
White Icing Sugar, in bulk, **3** lbs. for **25c**
Manchurian Shelled Walnuts, quarters, per lb. **38c**
London Mixed Biscuits, 6 varieties of assorted biscuits, per lb. **28c**
2 lbs. for **55c**
Finest Quality Desiccated Cocoanut, per lb. **20c**
Macintosh Brand Seville Orange Marmalade, **4**-lb. tin **53c**
New Season's Imported Smyrna Figs, special, per lb. **23c**
Beach-Eakins' Pure Strawberry Jam, **4**-lb. tin **68c**

Fruit and Vegetables

Extra Fancy Okanagan Spitzenburg Apples, per box **$3.00**
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Fancy Florida Grapefruit, each **10c, 20c** and **25c**
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Choice Red Emperor Grapes, per lb. **15c**
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For Today and Saturday

BEEF
Boneless Prime Ribs, rolled, per lb. **25c**
Boneless Thick Ribs, rolled, per lb. **20c**
Boneless Rolled Baby Beef, per lb. ..... **22c** and **25c**
Porterhouse Roast, per lb. **27c**
Sirloin Tip Roast, per lb. **24c**
Rump Roast, 4 to 6 lbs., lb. **19c**

PORK
Loins, cut any weight, per lb. **35c**
Fillets, per lb. **33c**
Shoulders, cut to suit, per lb. **24c**
Legs, whole, per lb. **27c**

LAMB
Shoulders, whole or half, lb **24c**
Legs, whole or half, per lb. **38c**
Loins, whole or half, per lb. **38c**

LOCAL VEAL
Fillets, per lb. **35c**
Rumps, per lb. **25c**
Loins, per lb. **30c**
Shoulders, per lb. **20c**
No. 1 Milk-Fed Chicken, average 5 lbs., per lb. **40c**
No. 1 Milk-Fed Fowl, heavy, per lb. **35c**
—Lower Main Floor, H.B.C.

See the Delights of Toytown

There is no delight so genuine and so inspiring as that reflected in the eyes of childhood when they see the wonders of Toytown. Bring the kiddies along and find out better what they want Santa to bring them at Christmas. The following will give you some idea of the size and variety of our stock of wheel goods. A small deposit will secure any article until delivery is desired.

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25 Only, rubber tired, disc wheels, steel frame. Special at **$1.98**

Hiker Scooters
8-Inch disc wheels. Price **$4.95**
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Disc wheels. Prices, **$3.00, $3.25** and **$4.00**

Service Wagons
25 Only to clear at, each **$3.95**

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Wood wheels. Price **$3.50**
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Hiker Coaster Wagons
30-Inch frame, 8-inch rubber tired disc wheels. Price **$8.25**
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36-Inch frame, 10-inch rubber tired disc wheels. Price **$10.00**

Special Kiddie Kars
A new adjustable kar that may be altered as the child grows. Priced at **$3.95**
Others at ..... **$2.50** to **$3.50**

Doll Buggies
20 Only, complete with hood. Special at **98c**

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With rubber tired disc wheels with pedals. Price **$4.95**

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Steel Tired Tricycles at **$5.95, $6.95** and **$7.95**
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Doll Buggies
English pram style, in cream and grey; 25-inch body; complete with leatherette hood. Price **$9.75**
Others from ..... **$4.50** to **$23.50**
—3rd Floor, H.B.C.

Santa Says—

"If you were unable to get tickets for the Capitol Theatre come and see me any afternoon next week in Hudson's Bay Company's Toytown, 3rd Floor."

NEWS OF THE SPORTING WORLD

Hockey Teams Start Puck Chasing Season At the Arena Tonight

Tillicums and Shells Will Be First to Take the Ice With Colonist and United Services Following — Strengthened Teams Promise First Class Winter's Sport in Amateur League

Tonight at 8 o'clock the 1926-'27 amateur hockey season will be ushered in when the Tillicums and the Shells meet in the opening fixture of the Victoria Amateur Hockey League. This game will be followed by the United Services vs. Colonist.

All four clubs have had their final workouts and the rival managers report their boys to be in good condition and ready for the sounding of the whistle that will start them off in quest of the city title.

The Colonist, who have a greatly strengthened club, will no doubt make the other teams step in the race. A glance at the line-up of the Newspapermen will give the fans some idea as to their chances of making a good showing.

Strong Defence

Campbell, who will guard the hemp, is playing his second season with The Colonist. "Hank," as he is known by hockey players and fans, will be called upon to do his stuff tonight to stop the United Service sharpshooters from finding the net. On the defence will be Belcher and Stanyer. The former player needs no introduction to followers of the ice hockey game as they will remember him as one of the mainstays of the Tillicums last season. Stanyer, who is a newcomer to the city, is well-known in local sporting circles, being skipper of the Canadian Rugby team. According to advance notices he is rated as one of the best that the East has turned out and tonight he will make his debut to Victoria fans as skipper of The Colonist team.

The forwards will consist of Goodacre, Temple, J. Stewart, Ernie Bailey, Albert Woods and Percy Owens.

The first three players are well known to the followers of the national Winter pastime, while the latter are making their first appearance for the approval of the crowds that are expected to pack the Willows Arena this Winter. Bailey and Woods are local products, and in their workouts the boys show promise. Owens, who hails from Calgary, has played in that city in junior leagues, and tonight he will make his first appearance in senior company wearing the colors of The Colonist.

Manager Confident

Harold Featherstone, who will manage the Tillicums this season, when asked of his chances last night, stated: "We expect a great battle, but I think the boys will come through with a win."

The Clubmen have a good team lined up ready for their game with the Oilmen, last year's champions. Alex Straith, who last season guarded the net for the Navy, will hold this position with the Tillicums this year. Alex is considered one of the best goalies in the game, and tonight he will be on hand to prevent the sharpshooters of the Shells from sagging the hemp. On the defence, Don Smith and McCannel will perform. The former is well known in local hockey circles, while McCannel will be making his first appearance with the Clubmen. Last season he played with the University of Washington, and in his workouts he looks good. Ross Oatman, L. Glazen, Simpson, R. Mowat, Green and Harry Smith, all well-known hockey players, will add to the personnel of the Tillicums' team, while Manuel, a newcomer from Calgary, will complete the players' roll.

The Shells, who will oppose the Tillicums in the opener, have a strong line-up waiting to meet all opponents in the race for the city title. Stuart, who last season guarded the hemp for the champions, will be back on the job again this season. Hughie Burnett, diminutive defence star of the Oilmen, and Tuckwell, another old-timer in the game, will hold down the defence positions.

Saunders, who last season performed with The Colonist, will be seen in the colors of the Shells this season, and will be a tower of strength to their team. McDonald, Johnston, Foster and Quesnell will complete the list of players who will be on deck for the Oilmen.

The Silent Navy

Very little is known of the Navy team, but it is rumored that they have a bunch of new material that will strengthen their team to a sufficient degree to give the remaining clubs in the league some keen battles.

On the eve of battle the amateur hockey fans all over the city are anxiously awaiting the hour that will see the present season underway. With prospects for a good brand of hockey this year it is expected that a bumper crowd will be on hand tonight to see just how the Simon-pures shape up in their first games.

On First Line of Colonist Attack

IVAN TEMPLE

Of the Colonist hockey team, who will line up with Hec Goodacre and Ernie Bailey on the forward line of the newspapermen tonight. Ivan packs a wicked shot and will no doubt give the Navy net guardian many anxious moments.

ST. PATS DEFEATED BY THE CANADIENS

Montreal Team Comes Back to Form to Halt Irishmen With Two to Nil Score

MONTREAL, Dec. 2.—The spirited dash of Toronto St. Pats in the National Hockey League was halted here tonight when the Canadians defeated them 2-0. The locals came back to the form promised a few games ago and their forwards played their usual lightning game in front of a tightened defence.

Pete Lepine, playing the regular centre berth, while H. Morenz was going easy on his bad knee, opened the scoring column after three minutes of the first period on a pass from Gardiner in front of the nets after the latter had cleared a rush on his own goal and went up centre ice. Joliat showed his old elusiveness in getting around Corbeau for the second and final score near the close of the second period.

St. Pats made a supreme effort to grasp the victory in the final session, but the local defence and fast-moving forwards were too much.

Summary

First period—1, Canadiens, Lepine, 3:01.

Second period—2, Canadiens, Joliat, 17:11.

Third period—No score.

The Line-Up

Canadiens	Position	St. Pats.
Hainsworth	Goal	Roach
Gardiner	Defence	McCaffrey
Leduc	Defence	Corbeau
Lepine	Centre	Carson
Joliat	Wing	Bailey
Boucher	Wing	Day
Morenz	Sub.	Bourgeault
Mantha	Sub.	Brydges
Moran	Sub.	Bellefeuille
Gagne	Sub.	Cox
	Sub.	Denennay

Irishmen Are Making Bid for International Golf Play

LONDON, Dec. 2.—Ireland has stepped into the breach between ruling golf bodies of Great Britain and the United States, caused by a clash in the dates of 1927 open championships of the two countries.

An Irish open title tournament to be held for the first time next year at Port Marnock has been decided upon by the Irish Golfing Union for some period after the British contest at St. Andrews, and the United States tournament at Oakmont, both during the week of June 20. Golfing circles here believe that both American and British stars will be induced to settle the question of international supremacy on the neutral fairways.

Juniors Will Compete for Trophy for Life-Saving

Large Entry Received for Contest at Crystal Garden Next Monday for Reeve Anscomb's Cup—Trophy Is Given for Perpetual Competition

A life-saving contest for juveniles will be held at the Crystal Garden on Monday at 8 p.m. A large entry has been received from the Victoria Amateur Swimming Club and further entries are expected from St. Margaret's School and other swimming clubs.

Reeve Herbet Anscomb, of Oak Bay, who has donated an exceptionally handsome trophy for annual competition in this branch of the Royal Life-Saving Society's activities, will be present in person to present the successful competitors with their awards.

The judges appointed by the society are Mrs. R. W. Hibberson, C. Hopper, W. T. Barrett and J. D. McNeill.

The Conditions

The conditions are as follows: The trophy is presented to the Victoria branch f the Royal Life-Saving Society for annual competition amongst juniors who have passed for the society's elementary or proficiency certificates and who have not yet attained their sixteenth birthday.

The trophy shall be perpetual and may be won in successive years by a competitor until such time as he or she becomes automatically disqualified by obtaining their sixteenth birthday.

The trophy shall be named after the donor, and such title shall be engraved on same, and all disputes which may arise shall be subject to the decision of the Victoria branch of the society and such decision as they shall arrive at shall be considered final and binding.

Candidates may be of either sex and are eligible up to and on the day immediately preceding their sixteenth birthday, and must submit satisfactory proof of (1) date of birth, (2) when and where passed for the society's elementary or proficiency certificate.

The competition shall consist of the following tests in the water and on the land:

Water Test

1. Each candidate shall swim 25 yards breast stroke.
2. Each candidate shall swim 25 yards back stroke, using the legs only.
3. Swim to and carry by the society's first method of rescue for a distance of 15 yards, a patient selected by the society.
4. Demonstrate the second method of release from the clutch of drowning.
5. Dive from the surface for a weighted object to a depth of at least five feet.

Land Test

1. The candidate shall demonstrate to aid examiners the Schafer method of resuscitation of the apparently drowned.
2. Demonstrate the restoration of the circulation in a person whose breathing has been restored.

The judges shall be selected by the executive board of the society and in no instance shall a person be appointed as an examiner who is not a holder of the society's bronze medallion.

Efficiency and neatness shall be the determining factors in awarding the trophy and in no case shall speed be taken into consideration.

In the event of a tie for any place in the competition a further test shall be ordered and shall consist of the society's second method rescue in the water.

Final of Thompson Cup To Be Played Tomorrow

Victoria High School Sending Over Strong Fifteen to Defend the Cup Against McGee High School of Vancouver—Who's Who on the Locals' Line-Up

Fifteen stalwart students, playing under the colors of the Victoria High School, are leaving on this afternoon's boat for Vancouver, where they will take on the Mainland champions for the Thompson Cup and the British Columbia High School Rugby championship. The game will be played tomorrow afternoon, and the opponents for the local boys will be the McGee High School of Vancouver, who captured the Mainland championship a short time ago after a long and bitter struggle with the other schools. A good crowd of local "rooters" are accompanying the team over and will form the moral support for the boys who will be fighting to retain the cup for another year.

The team had its last workout yesterday, and the boys snapped through their various plays in great style. Certain weak points in the forward line have been finally adjusted, and have resulted in strengthening up the line considerably. The threes have always been good, and it is to be hoped that they will be able to find their usual stride when they hit the McGee fifteen tomorrow afternoon.

The Line-Up

The fifteen regulars who will make the trip are:

Captain Larry Kennedy, full-back—One of the greatest all-round players on the team and as dependable as the Rock of Gibraltar. Played on last year's championship squad.

"Gallopin' " Turgoose—The pick of the threes and the fastest man on the team. What Red Grange was to his university, Turgoose is to the High School. If there is a chance for a try, he will make it.

"Curly" Smith—Playing his first year with the High. However, he has had plenty of experience on Eastern high schools. "Curley" is about the trickiest player on the back division.

"Bull" Lemarquand—This "big boy" is playing a fine game this season. He may always be found in the thick of the fight, and it takes a good man to bring him down. Alan played on last year's outfit.

"Bump" Cudlip—This is his first year at the game, but he has proved to be one of the best men on the team. He can run like a deer and tackles well.

"Bobbie" Shaw—Bob plays half-back and is one of the best in town. Fast and tricky, and can pick off the opposing players in fine style.

George Beck—Teams up with Shaw and makes a first-class job of it. Possesses lots of speed and can dodge well.

Warnock, forward—Can always be depended upon to play a fine game. Has plenty of weight and knows how to use it to best advantage.

Killick—One of the best forwards on squad. Always on the ball and very seldom lets his man get away.

Dawson—Plays third rank scrum. About the best punter on the team, good tackler and steady. Knows the game from A to Z and has plenty of experience.

Mugford—Third rank scrum. Uses his head continually and makes the most out of an opportunity. A great follower up and tackler.

Pickard—A good man on the forward division. Runs and dodges well and has a good kick.

"Shorty" Potter—The biggest little man on the team. Weighs anywhere from 200 to 300 pounds. When he hits the opposing line, they know they are playing Rugby. Potter plays a good game and is steady and cool.

Baker—A fine man to have on the advance line and dependable. Runs well.

White—Not as heavy as the other forwards, but is fast and tricky and packs a mean kick.

Potts—A good all-round forward. Has proved a good man in the local Thompson Cup series just completed. Flows up well, and can use his feet to good advantage.

Just who will go along as reserves has not been determined as yet, but two or three good players are available for relief duty. The boys are all expected to be down at the boat about a quarter to two.

HAGEN RATHER OFF FORM AT VANCOUVER

Loses Four-Ball Match at Langarra Course—Medal Score Is Four Over Par

VANCOUVER, Dec. 2. — Walter Hagen, American open golf champion, failed to break par at the Langarra course here this afternoon, while playing in a foursome with Nat Cornfoot, club professional, against Roy Herne and Charlie McCadden. Par for the course is 72, but the American champion had to be content with a 76, and ended the match two down and one to go.

Hagen was a bit off form, his chip shots finding the traps on several occasions, while his putter refused to perform in the usual manner. Herne played par golf going out, and McCadden was four over coming in.

Following are the scores:

Out:				
Hagen	443	535	545	—38
Cornfoot	555	535	556	—43
Herne	444	534	545	—37
McCadden	544	534	565	—41
In:				
Hagen	354	554	354	38—76
Cornfoot	355	555	455	42—85
Herne	355	655	354	40—78
McCadden	345	455	445	39—80
Par:				
Out	444	535	444	—37
In	345	444	344	35—72

Yesterday's Racing

TIJUANA, Dec. 2.—Results of racing here today follow.

First race, four and one-half furlongs—1, Our Seth, $6.20, $4.20, $4.20; 2, Mala, $14.00, $7.30; 3, Vanderburg, $4.40. Time, :54 2-5.

Second race, four and one-half furlongs—1, Dick's Seth, $5.20, $3.60, $3.20; 2, Boca, $11.20, $6.20; 3, Bill McCloy, $5.20. Time, :54 2-5.

Third race, one mile—1, Breechloader, $8.80, $3.20, $2.80; 2, Shafe, $3.60, $2.40; 3, Nebraska Lad, $3.40. Time, 1:41.

Fourth race, five and one-half furlongs—1, Miss Alma, $27.40, $7.40, $2.40; 2, Shasta Grande, $2.80, $2.20; 3, Marjorie Seth, $2.20. Time, 1:07.

Fifth race, six furlongs—1, El Roble, $17.40, $5.40, $3.60; 2, Quintana Roo, $3.80, $2.80; 3, Scottish Lad, $3.40. Time, 1:13 2-5.

Sixth race, one mile and seventy yards—1, Barbwire, $32.00, $14.00, $8.00; 2, Hardman, $10.30, $5.00; 3, Gloom Girl, $3.80. Time, 1:46.

Seventh race, five and one-half furlongs—1, Rock Bottom, $5.40, $3.40, $2.80; 2, My Daddy, $7.30, $5.20; 3 Hands Up, $4.40. Time, 1:07 1-5.

Overnight Entries

First race, five furlongs—Our Seth, 94; Old Paige, 97; Harrigan's Heir, 102; Olympian King, 103; Coombs, 103; Tuxedo Sam, 104; Goldstein, 105; Stamp, 105; False Alarm, 110; Malvern, 110; Vanburg, 110; Fireplace, 110; Young Adam, 110; Murphy, 115.

Second race, five furlongs—Silver State, 99; Dick Seth, 99; Japidee, 99; Deer Trail, 102; Matinee Idol, 102; Woodie Montgomery, 102; Mala, 107; Baleful, 107; Mr. Pat, 107; Burke's Boy, 107; Sportsman, 107; Dough H. Johnson, 107; Golden Red, 113.

Third race, five and a half furlongs—Jersey Red, 100; Runerva, 100; Laura M., 100; Weeiri, 103; Bell of Milion, 103; Holly Girl, 103; Miriam Wood, 103; Hilarity, 103; Combustion, 103; Broncho Girl, 103; Kitty B., 105; Deep Blue, 105; Lady Berrildon, 108; Guinea Gold, 117.

Fourth race, mile and one-sixteenth—Zealot, 100; London Smoke, 100; Tulsa, 103; Nancy Winet, 103; Harry Maxim, 103; Bardalid, 103; Aristotle, 106.

Fifth race, five furlongs—Buddy Clark, 104; Soldier Bird, 104; Skootin, 107; Cibie, 109; Tavern Talk, 109; Jola Shot, 114; Starless, 114; Shasta Graney, 114.

Sixth race, six furlongs—Frank Gallord, 101; Raymond Dale, 103; Proceeds, 103; Queen Annamarie, 104; Coffield, 106; Parnell, 107; Remnant, 109.

Seventh race, Clubhouse course—Pud, 99; Conclusive, 99; Golden Sweep, 101; Sixpence, 108; Rosamond, 105; Melachrino, 111; Darius, 113; Bars Dollar, 113.

Eighth race, five furlongs—Kaliko, 99; Miss Lester, 102; Rey Schee, 105; Not Enough, 105; Virginia Carlton, 106; Shasta King, 107; Lahonton, 107; Down Town, 107; Pickpocket, 108; Saucy Miss, 110.

Weather, clear; track, fast.

Kaplan Knocked Out

CLEVELAND, Dec. 2.—Billy Wallace, Cleveland lightweight, knocked out Kid Kaplan, former featherweight champion, in the fifth round of a scheduled twelve-round bout here tonight. Wallace had floored Kaplan three times in the fifth round before he took the count.

Will Be in Action At Willows Tonight

HEC GOODACRE

Who will hold down the wing position for the Colonist hockey team in their game with the Navy, which is the second match of the double-header that will be staged at the Arena tonight. Hec will need watching and the sailors' defence will no doubt keep a good eye on him tonight.

Junior and Juvenile Soccer Games Are Set for Saturday

Junior and juvenile soccer fixtures for tomorrow are as follows:

Junior

Esquimalt vs. Saanich Rovers at Central Park. Referee Oliver.

Juvenile

Three C's vs. James Bay at Beacon Hill upper grounds. Referee P. C. Payne.

Saanich Rovers vs. Burnside Tillicums at Heywood Avenue.

All games will kick-off at 2:30 p.m.

The junior fixture between the Five C's and the Victoria High School has been postponed at the request of the latter club.

The juvenile game that was to have been played between the Saanich Rovers and the Willows Rangers is cancelled on account of sickness.

The Five C's will meet the Y.M.C.A. juniors in a friendly match.

Tomorrow's line-ups are announced as follows:

Five C's—Charlton; J. Taylor and N. Martin; Brynjolfson, E. Viggers and A. Viggers; C. Sutton, S. Essler, C. Collins, F. Groves and F. Viggers. Reserves, H. Bourne and MacDonald.

Esquimalt United — Chalmers; Sweeney and Edwards; Bendall, Banks and Cochrane; Woolcock, Burnett, Pepin, Thompson and Williams. Reserves, Stewart and Smith.

Players unable to play please phone 72931.1

Saanich Rovers, juniors, will be picked from the following: Reid, Nelson, Campbell, Brynjolfson, Crowe, Scott, V. Smith, Cox, F. Tooby, Mason, H. Smith, Smith, B. MacLeod, Smith and Gandy.

Saanich Rovers, juvenile team, will be selected frm the following: Willoughby, Harrison, Pierce, Kennedy, MacMillan, Jones, Graves, Rosemus, Allouleder, Musgrave, Woodley, Field and Okomoto.

Old Country Football

LONDON, Dec. 2.—Replayed games in the first round of the English Football Association Cup today resulted as follows:

Norwich City 1, Crystal Palace 0.
Tranmere 1, Southport 2
Doncaster 3, Desboro 0.
Northampton 2, Boston 1.
Stoke City 1, Rhyl 1.

Rugby Union

Newport 17, Guy's Hospital 3.
Coventry 6, Cambridge Uni. 21.
Neath 5, Welsh U. 3.

County Championship

Kent 24, Middlesex 18.

Rep Rugby Team Is Selected to Oppose Varsity on Mainland

VICTORIA'S rep Rugby team to oppose University of British Columbia in a McKechnie Cup fixture on the Mainland tomorrow, was selected last night after their final workout as follows: Murray, Pendray, Moss, Page and Fanning (Pirates); Putman, Wallace, McFarlane, Pemberton, Exelby (United Services); Caveness, Webster, Goodacre, McLean, Mawhood and McMillan (J.B.A.A.).

Harold Pendray, one of the best known figures in local Rugby circles, will skipper the team which will leave tonight on the midnight boat for Vancouver. Players are requested to meet at the C.P.R. Depot at 10:45 o'clock sharp.

Dislocates Shoulder In Elimination Bout At Madison Square

NEW YORK, Dec. 2.—Theart Dekuh, New York Italian, won from Charles Sanderson, Chicago negro, in the third round of a ten-round match at Madison Square Garden tonight when Anderson dislocated his left shoulder.

Anderson had an edge in the brief contest when he suddenly dropped to the floor in pain after Dekuh's right had crashed into his body. The weights were: Dekuh, 206; Anderson, 192.

The contest was one of four ten-round fights in Tex Rickard's heavyweight elimination tournament.

CARPET BOWLING

St. John's Men Win From Willows A Team by 29 to 10

St. John's Men's Society carpet bowlers met the Willows A team in a league match on Wednesday night on the St. John's carpet and played a leading game all the way through, coming out victors by a score of 29 to 10. The visiting players put up a plucky fight against the opposing team, but early in the game St. John's took a strong lead, the score at the sixth end being 7 to 14 in their favor. At the eleventh end St. John's were leading by 16 to 5, and at the fifteenth end by 23 to 4, this lead being maintained up to the nineteenth end, when the score stood 29 to 8, the Willows team adding two more points, with the final score as stated in favor of St. John's, 29 to 10.

The teams were as follows:

St. John's—F. R. Quille, J. M. Nesbitt, A. Hallam, A. Slocomb (skip)—29.

Willows A—Frank Thackray, R. Carley, Don McMillan, T. Bryant (skip)—10.

Soccer Game Postponed

The Lower Island Football Association has granted permission for the cancellation of the scheduled soccer game between the Victoria Wests and James Island, which was to have been played on the latter's ground tomorrow.

INTEREST IS NORMAL IN ENGLISH SOCCER

League Leaders Not Seriously Menaced in Tomorrow's Engagements

LONDON, Dec. 2.—Saturday's scheduled fixtures in the English Soccer League are not of a nature to arouse anything beyond the usual interest, for in no case are any of the leaders engaged in contests that could, on general form, menace their present positions. Perhaps an exception might be made to this in the second division where Preston North End, who are running strong for honors in competition against Swansea Town, meet one of the outstanding teams in the shape of Manchester City.

In the first division, the leaders, Sunderland, play at Derby where, failing anything unusual, they would have little difficulty in retaining their grip on the league. The runners-up, Newcastle United, are engaged at home against West Ham.

The league champions, Huddersfield Town, will play at Old Trafford against Manchester United.

Other scheduled fixtures are Bury at Arsenal, Everton at Aston Villa, Blackburn at Bolton, The Wednesday at Burnley, Leicester at Cardiff, Tottenham at Leeds, Birmingham at Liverpool, West Bromwich at Sheffield.

Sportive Punches

By the "Old 'Un"

Well, we've seen SUZANNE!

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We know what the lady looks like who kept the Queen of England waiting and who is in a class by herself when it comes to playing tennis.

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We were interested to see her, and, having seen her, would be, if it were possible, infinitely more interested to see her playing a real match in real tennis conditions against an opponent capable of extending her.

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As for professional tennis, after the sample handed us on Wednesday evening, we are not a good prospect as customers. It had commercialism's stamp all over it and then was retailed in short measure—nearly fifty per cent short of the amount on the invoice—beg pardon, the programme.

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The American college footballers have been trying out some new fashions in playing garments, which certainly seem rather odd to an old player of English Rugby and soccer.

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It was announced before a recent game that the coach of one of the teams would have his "warriors" attired in oilskin pants and thin flesh-colored stockings (no, this was not ladies' football), but that, if the weather was fair, they would sport new trousers and ankle-high socks, with legs bare from ankle to knee.

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Another coach clothed his team in silk pants, we read, for greater speed, and his example was copied by several other team coaches, but the result was rather embarrassing when the opponents speedily demonstrated that silk pants were built for speed and not durability.

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MISS MARY BROWNE is a bit worried over whether she will be allowed to compete in the American women's national golf championship tournament now that she is a tennis professional.

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Why she should is not very clear, because the United States Golf Association's rule on amateurism takes no cognizance of other sports, but apparently she has some reason for her fear of disqualification because the secretary of the U.S.G.A. has said that her case will have to be considered individually, as there is no precedent to govern!

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William Steedman points out that many prominent professionals in baseball and pugilism are amateurs on the links, but suggests that Mary Browne's case may be different because she plays a game good enough to threaten the topnotchers!

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Can these things really be thus?

Prince Decides to Give Up 'Chasing

LONDON, Dec. 2.—The Prince of Wales has decided to abandon steeplechasing, says The Daily Mirror.

Some time ago, when there was anxiety as to the Prince's safety owing to his frequently taking a tumble from his mount, the House of Commons, The Daily Mirror declares, deputed Speaker Whitley to convey to the Prince the House's concern over his accidents.

The Prince, however, at the time treated lightly the suggestion that he cease timber topping, but later, says the newspaper, he has been thinking over the matter, and "much touched" by the public anxiety for his safety, has decided to ride no more in steeplechases.

Walker and Flowers Will Fight Tonight

CHICAGO, Dec. 2.—Mickey Walker, once the kingpin of the welterweight boxing fraternity, will attempt to annex the world's title of the middleweight division at the Coliseum tonight, meeting Tiger Flowers, the Georgia deacon, in a ten-round contest to a referee's decision.

Walker is figured to have an excellent chance of winning the title in the opinion of his followers.

Champion Wins Out

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 2.—Kinrey Matsuyama successfully defended his title as junior 18.2 billiard champion of the United States, by defeating Ary Bos, Philadelphia, 1,200 to 832 in the challenge match which ended tonight.

Draw Made for Medal Competition at Uplands

There will be a monthly medal competition for the ladies of the Uplands Golf Club on Sunday, December 4, the draw being as follows:

Miss Angus vs. Miss E. Grant.
Mrs. Geiger vs. Miss L. Archibald.
Mrs. Pocock vs. Mrs. Hepburn.
Miss C. M. Anthony vs. Mrs. Prescott.
Miss Hiscocks vs. Miss McNaughton.
Mrs. Wilding vs. Miss D. Cass.
Miss W. Anthony vs. Miss D. Locke.
Miss Young vs. Mrs. Price.
Miss H. Locke vs. Mrs. Menendez.
Miss M. Cameron vs. Mrs. D. A. Macdonald.

Scottish Lady Champ Will Join Tennis Pros

EDINBURGH, Dec. 2.—Mrs. Robin Welsh, of this city, has decided to join the professional tennis ranks and become a teacher of the game with headquarters at Glasgow.

Mrs. Welsh has won the tennis championship of Scotland six times, and has played in many international games.

Maloney Is Winner Over German Boxer

NEW YORK, Dec. 2.—Jimmy Maloney, of Boston, battered Frank Diener, of Germany, to defeat in a fierce ten-round final bout in Tex Rickard's heavyweight elimination tournament tonight. Diener managed to keep his feet throughout a hail of smashing punches. Maloney weighed 201, Diener 186.

Calls Special Meeting Of Junior Soccer Body

Percy Payne, president of the Junior Football Association, has called a special meeting of the council of the Junior and Juvenile Soccer Leagues at the Y.M.C.A. on Monday, December 6, at 7:30 p.m. This will be followed by a meeting which players are specially invited to attend.

Suzanne at Vancouver

VANCOUVER, Dec. 2.—Suzanne Langlen, foremost woman exponent of tennis, treated local devotees to a fine exhibition here tonight, when she easily won two sets from Mary K. Browne to win the feature match 6-2, 6-2. In the other singles encounter Vincent Richards disposed of Harry Snodgrass, 10-8, 6-4, in a hard hitting affair. Approximately 2,000 fans witnessed the performance.

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Magistrate: "Which was he arrested for?"

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Wet Victories Bring Brass Rail Back in New York City

Near-Beer Foams as Visions of Old-Time Cheer for Thirsty Appear in Latest Sandwich, Temperance Emporiums—Big Sums Invested

NEW YORK, Dec. 2—With wet victories the brass rail is coming back at double quick. Contractors, working all night, are putting in more and more sandwich bars and grills, emblems of a hope that four per cent beer yet may reach the truly thirsty. Officially, brewers will admit nothing of the kind, but it is an open secret that some are helping these new inns to finance themselves and, at least, lending them aid and comfort. Just near-beer and large, real sandwiches are on equal terms at present in these refectories which are dotting New York as oases might some Sahara swept by sudden floods. An odd combination they, of the English "pub" or porter house and of the old-time saloon—even to white-jacketed barkeepers and free-lunch pretzels and pickles—forecasts of the passing of the Great Drought.

There are scores of these place already here, and so many more being equipped under rush orders that they give the impression of being chain stores. Here and there are several under the same ownership, but most of them are positively "without connection with any other establishment." They are copied from the same models, but go pretty much their own ways in management.

Although their origin is more or less mysterious, it is generally accepted that the first "sandwich and beer" bars were started in Chicago a year or so ago. In the window of a rotisserie there was a carving table alongside the brick-faced grill where chickens turned upon the spits in the cheerful glow of red-hot coals. Crowds gathered in front of the place to watch the big-capped cook flourish his knife. One brewer saw the possibilities of this hungry interest and used it to attract customers for draught beer. The grill itself was found too unwieldly, so the cooking of the meats was done in the kitchen and the window was given entirely to an imitation fireplace, which was really only a camouflaged counter for the display of roast beef, turkeys and chickens.

Tap Methods Improved

The first attempts to produce a beer with only one-half per cent of alcohol were very sad, because the brew, unless carefully bottled, was likely to sour or undergo changes which produced unpleasant after effects. Recently, however, the methods of brewing cereal beverages to be sold in bulk have been greatly improved. The serving of beer directly from the tap also has been made more acceptable by the development of new drawing apparatus and better methods of refrigeration. Many saloons which might have gone on with a luncheon trade were closed because so much of the almost-beer had to be thrown away, as it was not properly handled.

The impression is given to the public by some owners of these thirst-quenching stations that the bars have a pre-war history. Except in a few cases this is not true. Prohibition left saloonkeepers and brewers with millions of dollars' worth of valuable fixtures on their hands. Some of the bars were kept, others which were especially valuable were sold for the fine woods of which they were made, and most of them were destroyed. Elaborate "back bars" worth several thousand dollars were actually broken up for firewood in some instances, for there were few persons who thought they would ever be of any use again. Occasionally one sees a near-beer concern boasting an old mahogany bar, but these antebellum antiques are rare. The brass rails and the silver rails of today are usually new from the factory.

Most of the establishments are made ready for business by contractors who specialize in this kind of equipment and furnish everything required. Not only the vaults and pumps and bars, but the kitchen, the window carving table, the restaurant annex furniture, with its stalls or booths and chairs, and every dish and glass and tray usually come under the same contract. A satisfactory sandwich and near-beer bar can be put into commission for about $10,000, while the more elaborate ones have cost from $40,000 to $60,000, and recently a contract for a $100,000 installation was let.

Elaborate Plans Made

There are rumors that even more costly establishments are being considered, pending what action may be taken by Congress toward making beer less "near" and yet more satisfying to some. There seems to be no tendency on the part of these establishments to anticipate the more liberal interpretation of the Volstead Act in their present policy. Most owners are hoping to sell real beer in an entirely legitimate manner—at least, it is tacitly understood that such is the case with possible ninety per cent of them. The investments already made are to heavy to permit taking any risk.

Many of the places are equipped by contractors on the basis of getting half cash on the completion of the work and the balance in monthly installments. Aside from his plant, the owner of the bar of this type must have a considerable capital available pending the development of his trade, for the cost of supplies is heavy and the prices charged for food are by no means low.

Inasmuch as the restaurant end of this new business is, after all, the main one, the brewers could not be expected to take as much interest in it as they did i nthe Raines Law era, when several glasses of beer might be consumed to one of the near beer of today. The owners who make a suitable near beer contract can get a good electric sign, possibly an expensive one, at little or no cost. They can also arrange to have the pumps and such apparatus installed by the brewers, for which they give a mortgage. There have been instances lately which indicated that those starting in business had been able to borrow money for their first payments to contractors on fairly easy terms.

Both Men and Women

One reason why these new versions of the saloon, minus its objectionable features, are usually successful is that they appeal to both men and women customers. All display such slogans as "Ladies invited" or "Tables reserved for Ladies," or "Ladies, of course!" Both feminine and masculine patrons show a yearning curiosity about the atmosphere of the old time which is made to pervade all of these refuges from aridity. Women and girls do not "brace" the bars, as men can, although there is no rule against it, for aren't they especially invited? They seat themselves at tables on the side or at the rear, for what was once considered a back room in the old saloon is now a rear restaurant with bar affiliations.

"Look," nine women out of ten will say on going into one of these places for the first time, "there is the old brass rail!"

There is a sense of a thrill of adventure even in the very sight of this relic of damp days vanished. Some say it is "cute," others think it "just dear," the sedate call it "most interesting." At first these fair initiates come haltingly and timidly, but they soon find themselves very much at home. Some of them have their foamed-capped seidels, but most prefer tea or coffee. Besides the sandwiches which are so much featured, there are many other dishes, of the blue-plate special variety which the feminine patrons like, and also there is a wide choice of pastries and pies, temptingly arrayed.

Tables, in the rear, at least, are usually waited upon by girls in gay and fantastic smocks. Despite all these concessions, however, the near-beer and sandwich bars appeal to both sexes because they have a tavern-like cheer, reminiscent of houses of public entertainment, and not too near a suggestion of the ways of the disappeared saloon.

There probably will never again be the georgeous back bars of other days, with their glittering mirrors and scintillating glassware, but these latter-day ones keep up many of the traditions. Here are long arrays of cordial and vermouth bottles—all according to the law as far as low alcohol content is concerned, but recalling in every line the days when "barkeeps" shook dry Martinis and blended the "Angels' Kiss" and other potent snifters.

Pickles and Pretzels

The bar itself is strewn with dishes of dill pickles, preserved peppers, tall bowls of pretzels, sometimes crackers, all of them reminiscent of the free lunch epoch. When one has a mug or glass of near-beer, one is entitled to help himself to a section of dilled cucumber, if he likes, but may treat himself liberally to these condiments if he has ordered both a sandwich and a glass of the amber elixir.

One never realizes what a great pork raising state Virginia is until one has had luncheon or dinner at a new near-beer bar. All the ham, with gravy or without, must be from the Old Dominion. The turkeys hail from Maryland often, and the chickens from Philadelphia, and the beef is Western usually, but the origin of the ham is fixedly Southern. Sometimes hams, in their original canvas and with labels testifying as to their source, are hung up behind the bar to assure the customers that when they order "hot Virginia with" they are getting just that and nothing else. The meats are also sold by the pound, after the manner used in delicatessen shops.

As greatly as the near-beer and sandwich bars and grills resemble saloons, they are not likely to become places for leisurely resort, or "poor man's clubs," or to take on all the social feautres of the English pubs. They are eating places, plus something to drink which has a thrill in it, not a kick—as yet. They serve the business community at rapid-fire luncheons and at the less hurried dinner, and are not likely to become oases for the rendezvous of congenial spirits.

Everything possible is being done, however, both in their equipment and in the food and serice, to have them profitable under the present conditions.

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FRONT

High Commissioner May Become Ambassador

SIR HUGH DENISON

Who has just come to the United States as Trade Commissioner for Australia, succeeding Sir James Elder, is chairman and managing director of The Sun Newspaper, Ltd., of Sydney, New South Wales. He was a delegate to the Imperial Press Conference held in Ottawa in 1920, and took a prominent part in entertining the delegates to the Conference in Australia last year. Besides his newspaper interests, Sir Hugh is prominently identified with several Australian industries.

HOUDINI IS SILENT IN REALM OF DEAD

Magician Had Three Compacts to Speak From Spirit World—Dozens of Messages "Rejected"

NEW YORK, Dec. 2.—Harry Houdini, magician, who died on October 31, had three compacts by which he planned to try to get messages over from the spirit world, his wife said recently.

The magician, who during thirty-five years of activity did much to expose fraudulent practices of fake mediums, composed a quotation of ten words, of which his wife alone shared the knowledge he took to his grave.

Of the "dozens and dozens of messages," which she said that mediums had given her as coming from her departed husband, Mrs. Beatrice Houdini said that not one held the words that would identify it as Houdini's.

The Scientific American released for publication a message received from a medium in Attleboro, Mass., on November 2, which she submitted as the attempt for Houdini to get in touch with this world. The medium, who asked that her name be kept secret, used automatic writing as her means of "establishment contact," and secured three messages, a brief one and two much longer compositions.

"Astral Houi is vested at last, Weiss" (Houdini's original name), says "God is welcome creator—God is Truth—God is Love—God is without peer," one of the messages started and ended "see some of my friends and tell them Houdini lives."

Not Genuine Message

Mrs. Houdini was reached by telephone at Atlantic City, where she is convalescing from the illness which has kept her in bed since her husband's death. The messages were read to her in full and she denied that they contained anything similar to the quotation composed by her husband and agreed upon by them as a means of communication with her if communication were found possible.

"If Houdini can communicate he will do so, I know, and he will get his message over to me in the words of our quotation," she said. "We were very close, and I am hoping that I may hear from him.

"But since his death there have been so many 'messages' that mediums have brought me—dozens and dozens of them—and none of them contain the key words.

"Houdini himself had hopes of the possibility of communication from the spirit world, but very little belief in it. During his life he had compacts with twenty-four different men who died, and who had arranged ways that they would send back word to him. None of them ever did.

Had Three Compacts

"When he died, my husband had three compacts that I know of. One of these was the one with me. Then there was one with Sir Arthur Conan Doyle, to which I also hold the key. Another was with a gentleman in Philadelphia, whose name is to be kept secret."

At his home here, James Collins, for twenty years Houdini's assistant, corroborated Mrs. Houdini.

"Houdini will send back messages if he can only through the ways he agreed on," he said. "He always said that if he had proof, he was willing to believe in spirit communication, but that in the thirty-five years he investigated there was never anyone who could show any proof."

Chief Factor Elected

NEW WESTMINSTER, Dec. 2.—Mr. J. Lewis Sangster was tonight elected chief factor of Post No. 4, Native Sons of British Columbia.

STORY OF DRAKE PUBLISHED ANEW

NEW EDITION OF "THE WORLD ENCOMPASSED" IS ISSUED

Map of Adventurer's Voyage Through Malay Archipelago Reproduced in New Volume

Sir Francis Drake is one of the enduring heroic figures in British history. Even those fastidious souls who dub the great captain pirate, and deplore his short way with the Spaniard, deny him not the credit of being a superb seaman. But how many people are aware that there exists no single authentic record of his voyages and battles? For Drake's own chronicle was lost. It is supposed that he presented it to Queen Elizabeth, and that the Queen gave it to Henry of Navarre.

The history, as it has survived, is a compilation made by Drake's nephew, Sir Francis Drake's first Baronet, from the notes of his uncle's chaplain, the Rev. Francis Fletcher, and from the tales of the circumnavigator told by other contemporaries. Sir Francis Drake's "The World Encompassed" was published in 1628, thirty-two years after his renowned uncle's death. It was published by The Hakluyt Society, edited by Vaux, in 1848, with extracts from Francis Fletcher's Notes.

These Notes are now printed in full, in the new edition of "The World Encompassed," just issued by The Argonaut Press and edited by Sir Richard Carnac Temple, together with other relevant documents of the period. In this handsome volume are brought together for the first time the exact transcripts of the principal sources of information concerning Sir Francis Drake.

An Old Map

For the first time, also, a map showing Drake's voyages through the Mayal Archipelago has been published. It is probably true to say that the chief value to modern Britons of Drake's astonishing achievements is their literary value. His geographical discoveries are out of date; the plunder he brought home to his Royal mistress has gone the way of all lucre; the ships he took, and his own ships, having long ago rotted away in the deep of the sea; and there remain his heroic example, his terse and eloquent letters, and the story, broken into varying lights by various hands, of the English Odyssey.

In that ingenuous chronicle—much of it composed by Drake's enemies—a sophisticated generation may read how their forefathers set sail into the unknown, in small and clumsy vessels, equipped with imaginative sketches instead of charts, and with but the rudest instruments of navigation. Pious, innocent, and pugnacious, Drake and his men sailed into a world charged with perpetual surprises. A new sea, a new climate, strange fish, extraordinary natives, an island suddenly emerging; all was wonderful. And the chronicles thereof, written by divers hands, are framed in that marvellous English whose secret is now lost, but which was known in those days, apparently, to every rough-handed sea captain.

Here, for instance, is the noble opening to the history of Sir Francis Drake's Voyage about the World. "Ever since Almighty God commanded Adam to subdue the earth, there have not wanted in all ages some heroical spirits which, in obedience to that high mandate, either from manifest reason alluring them, or by secret instinct inforcing them thereunto, have expended their wealth, imployed their times, and adventured their persons, to find out the true circuit there of." And upon that exalted yet homely note is the whole astonishing history composed of how Francis Drake, "in first turning up a furrow about the whole world," overmatched "the ancient Argonautes."

VETERAN OF MUTINY IS CALLED BY DEATH

Major-General Hamilton Chapman Had Distinguished Career in British Army

Major-General Hamilton Chapman, honorary colonel 8th Cavalry, Indian Army, who died at Hove within a few days of his ninety-first birthday, was one of the fast-diminishing band of veterans of the Indian Mutiny.

Born on October 11, 1835, he obtained his first commission in July, 1856. On the outbreak of the mutiny in 1857, Chapman, who had been promoted to lieutenant, was at Meean Meer. He served with the 1st Bengal European Fusiliers in the actions of Narnoul, Gungeree, Patialee and Nynpuree. In 1858 he commanded a detachment of Alexander's Horse in several minor affairs in the Etawah district, the actions of Oreyah, when his charger was twice wounded, and Dewsa, and took part in the pursuit of the rebels through Rajputana and Central India and the Bundelkhand campaign of 1859-60, being mentioned in dispatches. In the Afghan War of 1878-1880 he was present at the engagement at Baghao, when he was again mentioned and received his brevet of lieutenant-colonel. His promotion to major-general was dated 1893, and in 1895 he was placed on the unemployed supernumerary list. General Chapman was a widower; he leaves a son and two daughters.

Captain George Ramsay

A Scotsman of fine stature and commanding presence, who proudly wore his national dress in the streets, has just passed away at Slough in the person of Captain George Graham Ramsay.

Captain Ramsay was in his ninetieth year, and had had a most eventful life. His father was Mr. James Ramsay, and his mother a member of the Duff family. They had four sons and four daughters, and Captain Ramsay survived all of them.

The boys exceeded six feet in height, and their father was fully six feet four inches.

Captain Ramsay rode from Aberdeen to London by stage coach before the development of the railways, and at the time of the Crimean War he joined the Highland Light Infantry regiment of Militia.

He subsequently went to Australia and New Zealand, and had many interesting adventures before undertaking a perilous voyage back to England in a small trading vessel named the Ramsay.

Board of Conciliation Chairman Is Appointed

OTTAWA, Dec. 2.—Mr. D. R. Maclean, a Winnipeg barrister, has been appointed chairman of the Board of Conciliation which will arbitrate the dispute over wages and working conditions between railway clerks, freight clerks, station employees, etc., on the C.P.R. Eastern and Western lines of the railway. Mr. David Campbell, of Winnipeg, was appointed some time ago to represent the men and Mr. J. B. Coyne, K.C., of Winnipeg, to represent the railway.

Steamer Goes Ashore

SYDNEY, N.S., Dec. 3.—A large unknown steamer went ashore at Westmount in Sydney harbor at 1:30 o'clock this morning. Continued blowing of her siren brought the Coal Company's tug Cruiser to her assistance.

It is believed that the stranded steamer may be the Haugerland or the Keispool, both colliers, which arrived today and anchored off the coal piers. At 3 o'clock this morning the storm was increasing in intensity and any attempt at landing the crew would be exceedingly hazardous, if not impossible, but they are not believed to be in any danger.

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EX-KAISER RAGES AT GUESTS AS TRAITORS

Visitor Mentions Politics and Hero of Doorn Flies Into Passion and Cancels Dinner

BERLIN, Dec. 4.—The former Kaiser's woodchopping activities, while increasing his appetite, seem to be wearing on his temper, according to The Neuen Leipziger Zeitung, which relates the effect a belated meal had on the ex-ruler.

Herr Oldenburg-Januschau paid a visit to Doorn recently and was invited to dinner. The Marshal failed to announce dinner at the appointed time, and as the minutes dragged on, it was very noticeable that Wilhelm was peevish. As a means of covering the embarrassing situation, Herr Oldenburg-Januschau broached politics, remarking that it was creditable in Marshal von Hindenburg to accept the Presidency at his age, whereupon the ex-Kaiser shouted: "You are all traitors!"

Then the ex-monarch strode out of the room and cancelled the dinner arrangements, leaving the guests to return to a Doorn tavern for food.

Effort Will Be Made To End Sumas Dispute

NEW WESTMINSTER, Dec. 2.—Efforts will be revived at the forthcoming session of the Legislature to settle the four-year-old dispute between the Provincial Government and Sumas farmers. The latter claim to be only liable for $1,800,000 of the $3,500,000 improvement assessment placed against the reclaimed area.

A committee of three representing the farmers will be appointed to act as an advisory board with Bruce Dixon, superintendent of dykes, to draft out a new scheme of settlement for presentation to the House. This committee was recommended at a meeting held Wednesday, in the City Hall, presided over by Dr. E. J. Rothwell, M.L.A.

At a school in a small village in Scotland the teacher was taking the grammar lesson, and he asked a little boy in the front seat what the future of the verb "To love" was.

The answer came quick and sure—"To get mairret."

Tug Goes on Rocks

CANSO, N.S., Dec. 2.—The St. John deep-sea tug, Osprey, struck hard on the rocks near Black Buoy while entering Canso harbor from the north near Falls Passage, and was pounding hard in a dangerous position. It was stated that the crew was in no danger.

At the Playhouses

AMUSEMENTS

The Screen

Capitol — "Syncopating Sue," starring Corinne Griffith.

Columbia — "My Old Dutch," featuring May McAvoy and Pat O'Malley.

Dominion—"The Eagle of the Sea," starring Ricardo Cortez.

The Stage

Coliseum—"Believe Me Xantippe."

Playhouse—"The Quaker Girl.

Royal Victoria—"The Student Prince."

Crystal Garden—Swimming and Dancing.

"STUDENT PRINCE" ELABORATE SHOW

VICTORIA AUDIENCE AGAIN SUCCUMBS TO HAUNTING CHARM OF MUSIC

Elaborate Production at Royal Victoria Theatre, Magnificently Sung and Acted

Once again Victoria has succumbed unresistingly to the glamour of that very popular musical romance, "The Student Prince," which last night at the Royal Victoria Theatre, before an audience which gave it a flattering reception, had the first of a three nights' engagement here. Although there is a slight redistribution of the outstanding honors, the production is quite the equal of the splendid original heard here last year. Principals and choruses alike measure up to a fine vocal ideal; the staging is richly elaborate; there is at one and the same time a finesse in detail and magnificent general effect scenically, musically, and histrionically.

The story of the Student Prince may be recapitulated briefly. Prince Karl Franz, heir to the kingdom, who has spent his boyhood in the cramping atmosphere of the court, finds at Heidelberg his first opportunity for natural comradeship and self-expression. He also falls in love, with Kathie, the little waitress at the Inn of the Three Golden Apples. His grandfather falling ill, he is recalled to the Palace at Karlsberg, and when the Emperor's death makes him king, the formalities and dreary stateliness of court life definitely separate him from the student life he hoped to resume. Before going through an official marriage arranged for him by the state, he appeals passionately for one more opportunity to revisit Heidelberg. His wish is granted.

These two last episodes furnish the finest scenes in the production, the third act being one of the most beautiful, musically and scenically, that the field of operetta has offered. In this act, which is set in a room of state in the Royal Palace at Karlsberg, Karl Franz, passionately regretful of what Fate has robbed him in immuring him once more within formal walls, experiences a vision in which his old student companions, his beloved mentor, Dr. Engel; and Kathie, the object of his tender romance, appear in misty succession. Lloyd Garrett, who takes the part of the Prince, seized to the full the opportunities offered in this scene, singing and acting with convincing passion, and from this point sustaining the role with an artistry which places him high among the younger group of light opera singers. The part of Prince Karl is a heavy one throughout, and for a short time at the beginning of Act I those who knew the story and the music might have felt a little doubt as to Mr. Garrett's ability to sustain the heavier phases of his role. But his treatment of this climactic episode in Act 3 was superb, and both vocally and emotionally he gave a magnificent performance. His tenor, although of lyrical quality, has a penetrating sweetness of timbre, and he gave charming renderings of the various lovely melodies which fall to him, whether in solo or ensemble.

Miss Ruth Williams, as "Kathie," the little waitress at the Inn at Heidelberg, also carried her part in a very pleasing and convincing way. Her voice is a peculiarly happy feminine counterpart of Mr. Garrett's, being a light, pure soprano, which formed a particularly charming harmony with his tenor in the numerous fragments or complete duets which they sang together. Her acting was graceful and had dignity and feeling throughout.

Other Major Parts

Other major parts which were very well treated included Carl Formes as "Dr. Engle," Robert Greig as "Lutz," James Heenan as "Von Mark," Earl Coventry as "Detleff," J. S. Williams as "Toni," Gertrude Maitland as the "Grand Duchess Anastasia, Margaret Cantrell as the "Princess Margrete," affianced to the "Prince," and Emmy Nicklas as "Gretchen." The audience also had the pleasure of watching some exquisite toe dancing in Mlle. Smirnova's pas seul in the great ballroom scene of act three. Carl Formes' is one of the finest voices in the company and in its use (it is a bass-baritone of unusually rich and cultured quality) and in his acting he showed a refinement and seasoned experience which made his a really outstanding performance. Mr. Greig is a very fine comedian, and with such a fine foil as Gus Alexander in the part of "Hubert" he furnished a succession of screamingly farcical situations, in some of which Miss Maitland, as the "Grand Duchess," ran him close as rival. Her abilities as a comedienne are unlimited and the audience lost not a single bon mot. Miss Cantrell's voice is a mezzo-soprano of very pleasing quality and she was heard in at least one very charming duet with Robert Long ("Tarnitz").

Haunting Music

Among the most beautiful of the many haunting and seductive melodies which this delightful operetta gave were "Golden Days," "You're in Heidelberg," the duets by the Prince and Dr. Engel; the duets, "Deep in My Heart, Dear," "Farewell, Dear," sung by the Prince and Kathie; and the numerous fine choruses. These last are a distinct feature in themselves, not only in the matter of harmony, but in the beautiful finesse and musical polishing which they have undergone, the unison of action being as admirable as the perfection of melody which they achieve. Among the finest numbers were the Drinking Song, "To the Inn We're Marching," "Welcome to Prince" and "Serenade" of Act I; "Farmer Jacob" and "Students' Life," of Act II, the "Waltz" "Just We Two," "Memories," of Act III, and "Come Boys," and finale of Act IV.

The staging of Act III is again worthy of special comment, being extremely rich with its gorgeous scarlet and gold brocades and sparkling crystal candelabra, tapestries and gold-laced flunkeys and attendants. The ladies' dresses and officers' uniforms furnish an elaborate episode in themselves in the gavotte.

CAPITOL THEATRE Corinne Griffith and her producer, E. M. Asher, believe in "faking" as little as possible in the motion pictures they make for First National. Thus it was that Corinne and her company journeyed all the way across the continent to film the exterior scenes for "Syncopating Sue," the current attraction at the Capitol Theatre. "Syncopating Sue" deals with the romance of a stage-struck shop girl in New York and Miss Griffith refused to allow the studio bosses to try and "fake" the required Manhattan sets, despite the fact it would have been cheaper than a round trip to New York from Hollywod. Corinne's latest comedy is said to eclipse "Classified," which was regarded as the star's best work until now.

DOMINION THEATRE Frank Lloyd just can't help being modest. Notwithstanding the fact that he has made what is acknowledged one of the mightiest productions ever brought to the screen, "The Eagle of the Sea," which plays at the Dominion Theatre this week, the noted director refuses to accept any glory for its success. Off the day cutting and editing had been completed, the picture was viewed by B. P. Schulberg, associate Paramount producer, in a projection room at Famous Players-Lasky Corporation's West Coast Studio. So enthusiastic was Mr. Schulberg over the photoplay that he immediately wired Lloyd, congratulating him on his work. The message read: "I have just seen 'The Eagle of the Sea.' To my mind, it is one of the greatest pieces of work you or any other man has ever accomplished."

COLISEUM THEATRE A dashing exhibition of the Valencia waltz by Mr. Short and Miss Macartney is an acceptable addition to the Coliseum bill this week, where "Believe Me, Xantippe," has been running an hilarious course since Monday evening. One lively act takes place in a hunting shack in the hills where the sheriff's daughter is alone for the night, and where come two men who are evading the law. One is an amateur crook and the other a professional, but the girl gets them both by the simple device of making one tie up the other and then covering him with a gun.

COLUMBIA THEATRE One of the most thrilling fights ever staged before a camera, and vying with the battle in "The Spoilers or "Birth of a Nation" is among the outstanding scenes in "My Old Dutch," now playing at the Columbia Theatre. Followers of fistic affairs will see in this battle an English prize fight as it was staged fifty years ago, when men fought with bare knuckles and to a finish. The last fighter of this kind was the late John L. Sullivan, and he, toward the end of his career, capitulated to the growing demand for boxing gloves.

PLAYHOUSE THEATRE That most noted of all New York sections, the Ghetto, moved from the lower East Side to the Bronx during the filming of Milton Sills' latest starring vehicle, "Puppets," which is now showing at the Playhouse Theatre. The scenes filmed at the studio for part of the picture show the interior of a small Punch-and-Judy theatre located in Gotham's famous Ghetto. An enthusiastic audience comprised of about 150 crudely dressed men, women and children of every nationality and creed, reeking of pungent garlicky odors, applauded hysterically when Milton Sills, as Nicki, master of the puppet show, came on to the miniature stage.

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N.Y.K. DECLARES SECOND DIVIDEND

PROFIT OF $1,350,000 IS SHOWN FOR SIX MONTHS OF THIS YEAR

Approval Given to the Plans for Three New Trans-Pacific Liners

An eight per cent dividend was declared at the semi-annual meeting of the Nippon Yusen Kaisha directors last week in Tokio, according to word received here yesterday. The financial report showed a slight increase in profits as compared with the last half-year.

For the six months ending September 30 a profit of $1,355,000 was shown, an increase of about $50,000 over the preceding half-year period. The profits plus the surplus carried over from the last half-year totaled $1,566,000, of which $1,255,600 was set aside for dividend payments. The dividend is the same as during the last half-year.

The directors also gave their approval to the plans for the construction of three modern and high-speed motor liners of 16,000 gross tons each for the service between the Orient and San Francisco. These vessels will be ready for commission within two years, the advices states. Shareholders in the company were advised that they might expect a continuation of the depression that has held the shipping industry in the doldrums practically since the war.

The directors called attention in their report to the continued patronage of N.Y.K. steamers by royalty, both European and Japanese. Especial mention was made of the Crown Prince and Crown Princess of Sweden, who made the voyage from San Francisco to Yokohama on the Shinyo Maru and the Tenyo Maru, both liners of the N.Y.K. fleet.

CHEMICALS PRODUCE LIVE CELLS IS CLAIM

Londoner Says He Has Generated Life by Artificial Means—Gives Formula for Making Snails

LONDON, (By Mail)—A startling vision of the future when science-made men may walk the earth is conjured up by the amazing statement by John F. Mazur, that, after experiments lasting over five years he has been able to produce, by means of chemical formula and mixtures, artificial snails.

It was in 1921 that he accidentally created his first artificial cells. He says that he reached his results not by following the beaten tracks of established science, but by getting out of the rut of tradition. His very lack of the usual scientific education, he alleges, aided him in doing what science has tried in vain to accomplish.

He took some natural snail eggs and mixed them with calcium crystals, which formed an emulsion. Three weeks later he found snails in the mixture. For several weeks he tried incubating the crystals.

Incubation Process

When the incubation process was complete, he mixed them with albumen and injected the mixture into the soil of a plant in a flower pot. Three months later the pot was full of snails.

"I successfully repeated this experiment three times," he says. "I used eight flower pots. Each contained the same soil and the same species of flower. Into four of the pots I injected my mixture. The other four I did not touch. I permitted all the eight pots to remain under the sun until three months had passed. In the pots containing the mixture I found many snails. In those which did not contain the mixture there were none.

"I contend that these experiments off conclusive proof of the theory of spontaneous generation. In other words, I contend that life can rise out of the earth when the proper cells come together under the proper conditions and without the aid of the parents."

Mr. Mazur, by his contention that life originates from spontaneous animation, claims that his discovery is in line with the Biblical version of the origin of species and confounds the Darwinian theory.

"There is more scientific truth in the Bible's explanation of the origin of life than there is in the theory of evolution. The Biblical explanation can be interpreted to mean spontaneous generation. That is how practically all species of plant and animal life originated. If the conditions under which each species originated can be duplicated, the species can be created artificially. This I have succeeded in doing.

"But I do not claim to create. Nature does the creating. I merely do the mixing. While I contend that man can produce life, I deny that man can produce mind in life or spirit.

Vital Entity

"Of that vital spiritual entity which takes hold of non-living matter and transforms it into a living condition I know nothing."

He makes no secret of any part of his work. He states that he created artificial yeast-like cells under the following formula:

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"When I felt pretty certain that there was no one about, I crept up on to the roof again and took a look round.

"There was a sentry at the gate, and the company was evidently going to camp in the oasis, and have a sleep before entering the fort.

"I pulled myself together, crawled over to where Beau lay, heaved him up in my arms and carried him below to his own bed in the barrack-room. All round his cot I laid piles of wood from the cook-house and drenched it with lamp oil. I did my best to make it a real 'Viking's Funeral' for him, just like we used to have at home. Just like he used to want it. My chief regret was that I had no Union Jack to drape over him. . .

"However, I did the best I could, and covered the whole pyre with sheets of canvas and things. . . All white, more or less. . . There was no sign of the wood and oil. . . He looked splendid. . . . Then, after thinking it over, I took the spare Tricouleur and laid that over all. . . It wasn't what I would have liked, but he had fought and died under it, so it served. . . It served. . . Served. . ."

Digby's head was nodding as he talked. He was like a somnambulist. I tried to stop him.

"Shut up, John. . . I must get it clear. . . Oh, Beau! Beau! . . . I did my best for you, old chap. . . . There was no horse, nor spear, nor shield to lay beside you. . . But I put a dog at your feet though. . . . And your rifle and bayonet was for sword and spear. . . ."

He must be going mad, I feared.

"A dog, old chap?" I said, trying to get him back to realities. "You are not getting it right, you know. . . ."

"Yes, a dog. . . . A dog at his feet . . . A dog lying crouching with his head beneath his heels. . . ."

This was getting dreadful.

"I did not carry it down, as I carried Beau. I took it by one foot and dragged it down. . . ."

"Lejaune?" I whispered.

"Yes, John. Lejaune—with your bayonet through his heart. He won't give dumb evidence against you—and Beau had his 'Viking's Funeral' with a dog at his feet. . . ."

I think I felt worse then than I had felt since Michael died. I gave Digby a sharp nudge in the ribs with my elbows.

"Get on with it and don't drivel," I said as thought in anger.

"Where was I?" said Digby, in the tone of a man waking from a nap.

"Oh, yes. And when all was ready, John, I sat and talked to Beau and told him I hadn't the faintest idea as to what he'd been up to in this 'Blue Water' business, but what I did know was that, far from being anything shady, it was something quixotic and noble. . . And then what do you think I did, John? . . . I fell asleep—and slept till the evening. . . .

"I was a bit more my own man when I woke up. I went up on the roof to see what was doing. . . Creeping to the wall and peeping over, I saw that the Company was parading, and that I had cut it very fine. I thanked God that I had awakened in time, for in a few minutes they would be marching in, to clean up and take over.

"I crept back and set fire to Beau's funeral pyre. Then I rushed off and poured a can of oil over the pile of benches and furniture that I had heaped up in the next room. I set light to that and knocked another can over at the foot of the stairs. I lit it and bolted up to the stair of the look-out platform. At the bottom of this, I did the same, and by that time it would have taken more water than there is in the Sahara to put the place out. . . I decided that Beau's funeral was all right, the evidence against you destroyed, and the time arrived for me to clear out. . . ."

He yawned prodigiously.

"So I came to look for you, John. . To look for. . .for . . ."

Digby was asleep.

Should I go to sleep too? The temptation was sore. But I felt that if we were to save ourselves, we must do it at once. We could hardly hope to lie there all night and escape detection in the morning, when the place would be swarming with scouts and skirmishers.

I decided to watch for an hour or two, while poor Digby slept. At the end of that time I would wake him and say that I was going to make the attempt to get a camel. . .

It was extraordinary silent. . . It seemed impossible that the oases, lying there so black and still, was alive with armed men. Even the camels and mules were behaving as though aware that the night was unusual. Not a grunting gurgle from the one or a whinnying bray from the other broke the brooding stillness of the night. I wondered if every man had been made responsible for the silence of his own animal, and had muzzled and gagged it. I smiled at the idea.

Not a light showed. Was the idea to make the smouldering fort a bait for the Arabs whom de Beaujolais would suppose to be in the neighborhood—a bait to attract them to his lead-an-steel-fanged trap?. . .

How would it be possible, after all, for me to approach that silvered black oasis, across the moonlit sands, without being challenged, seized, and exposed for what I was? I had anticipated approaching a normal, somnolent camp—not a tensely watchful look-out post, such as the oasis had become from the time Digby and I had fired our rifles.

Would it be better, after all, to sleep all night and try to bluff the camel-guard on the morrow, when the whole place would be buzzing with life and activity? It seemed a poor look-out anyway. And how bitterly one would regret not having made the attempt on foot, if one were seized in the effort to take a camel. . . .

Having decided that Digby had slept for about a couple of hours, I woke him up.

"What about it, Dig?" I said. "Are we going to have a shot at getting a camel, or are we going to march? We must do one or the other, unless you think we might do any good here by daylight. . . ."

"Oh, quite," replied Digby. "I'm sure you're right, John," and went to sleep again, in the act of speaking.

This was not exactly helpful, and I was trying to make up my mind as to whether I should give him another hour, or knock him up again at once, when I saw two camel-riders leaves the oasis. I rubbed my eyes.

No. There was no doubt about it. A patrol was going out, or dispatches were being sent to Tokotu.

Here were two camels. Two well-fed, well-watered camels were coming towards us.

I did not for one moment entertain the thought of shooting their riders, but I certainly toyed for a moment with the idea of offering to fight them, fair and square, for their beasts! If we won, we should ride off and they would tramp back to the oasis. If they won, they'd continue about their business and we should be where we were. . .A silly notion . . . About two seconds after revealing ourselves, we should be looking into the muzzles of their rifles, and have the option of death or ignominious capture. . . Why should they fight us? . . . I must really pull myself together and remember who I was and where I was. . .

Two camels drew nearer and I decided, from their direction, they were on the way to Tokotu.

I crawled down the reverse slope of my sand-hill and ran along the valley at its base. Climbing another hillock, I saw that a repetition of the manoeuvre would bring me on to their line. I did not know what I was going to do when I got there, but I felt there would be no harm in trying to find out who they were and where they were going. If we followed them and got a chance to steal their camels while they were not too far from the oasis to return on foot, I had an idea that we might take that chance. The temptation would be very strong, as it was a matter of life and death to us, while to them it would be merely a matter of a long day's march and a fearful tale of terrific combat with the horde of Arabs who had shot their camels. . .

Suddenly a well-known voice remarked conversationally:

"We sure gotta put them nigs wise, Buddy. . . We don't want nawthen to eventoonate to the pore boobs through us not taking 'em by the hand. . . ."

"Hank!" I yelped in glee and thankfulness, and he and Buddy turned their camels towards me.

"Here's one of the mystery boys, anyhow," went on Hank. "I allowed as how you'd be around somewheres when we see you all three gone missin' from the old home. . . ."

In a valley between two sand-hills, Hank and Buddy brought their camels to their knees and dismounted. Both wrung my hand in a painful and most delightful manner.

"No offence, and excusin' a personal and dellikit question, Bo," said Buddy, "but was it you as had the accident with the cigar-lighter an' kinder caused arsonical proceedin'? . . . ."

"Sort of 'arson about' with matches like?" put in Hank solemnly.

"No," I said. "It was Digby set fire to the fort."

"Then I would shore like to shake him by the hand, some," said Hank. "Is he around?"

"Having a nap over there," I replied.

"The other bright boy too?" asked Buddy. "An' where's Lejaune? Havin' set fire to the home, hev you taken Poppa by the ear an' led him out into the garden for to admire?. ."

As quickly as possible I told him what had happened—of Michael's death and "funeral."

"He was a shore white man, pard. 'Nuff said," commented Hank.

"He was all-wool-an'-a-yard-wide, Bo," said Buddy, and I felt that Michael might have had worse epitaphs.

A brief silence fell upon us.

"Gee!" said Hank after a while. "Wouldn't it jar you? It shore beats the band. Such nice quiet boys too—always behavin' like they was at a party, an' perlite as Hell—an' one of 'em kills the Big Noise an' the other sets the whole gosh-dinged outfit afire an' burns out the dod-gasted burg. . . Some boys, I allow. . . ."

(To Be Continued)

"I hear that your brother's engaged dear,"
Said Joan to her dearest friend, Flo.
"Now do tell me all about it—
I'm simply dying to know.
Tell me, when is the wedding—
Is Dolly the Bride-to-be?"
"Ah, no!" answered Flo, with a twinkle,
"She's only the 'Tried-to-be'!"

Big Game Hunter to Be Married in Boston

MISS AILEEN HUGHES

Daughter of Lady Hughes, widow of Sir Sam Hughes, former Minister of Militia for Canada, who is to be married to James Freeman Clarke, of Boston, Mass. Mr. Clarke is very prominently known in Boston. Following the wedding, which is to take place in the late Winter, he will take his bride to Boston to reside. Mr. Clarke is the son of the late Eliot C. and Alice Devermandois (Sohler) Clarke, and is a grandson of the late Rev. Dr. James Freeman Clarke, founder of the Church of the Disciples. He is a graduate of the Middlesex School and of Harvard class of 1910. During the World War he was captain in the 101st U.S. Field Artillery and saw considerable liaison service at the front. He is connected with a prominent banking house in Boston, and is a member of the Union Club, Oakely Country Club, Union Boat Club, Boston City Club and the Harvard Club of Boston. Miss Hughes, who is internationally known as a big game hunter, admits that the romance dates back three years when she and Mr. Clarke met while members together of the British East African hunting expedition. She returned to Canada with "Luce Kenya Simba," live lion cub. The photo, taken on her arrival, shows Miss Hughes and "Luce." The animal, which is now dead, has been stuffed for museum purposes.

DEATH CLAIMS SIR A. H. DYKE ACLAND

Was Member of Mr. Gladstone's Final Administration—Had Entered Upon Eightieth Year

LONDON, Dec. 2.—The death is announced of Sir Arthur Herbert Dyke Acland, Bt., which took place at his residence, 85 Onslow Gardens, London, S.W. Sir Arthur had been ill for some time. One of the senior survivors of former British Cabinets, Sir Arthur Herbert Dyke Acland would have entered upon his eightieth year shortly.

Over thirty years ago Sir Arthur was a member of Mr. Gladstone's final Administration, and of that of Lord Rosebery which succeeded it, holding the office of Vice-President of the Committee of the Privy Council on Education, the Department which proceded the Board of Education set up a few yehrs later. Sir Arthur sat in the House of Commons for thirteen years as Liberal Member for the Rotherham Division of Yorkshire, but it was as an educationist whose work bore conspicuous fruit rather than as a politician that he became best known. While in Opposition he worked for the promotion of intermediate and technical education in the interest of theartizan and working classes, and in an amendment to the Address of the 1890 session advocated the adoption of free education as a means of lifting the general level of the national education. The amendment, though not accepted by the Government at that time, was embodied in the Act of the succeeding year.

The Code of 1895

On the formation of Mr. Gladstone's last Ministry in 1892 he was called to the Cabinet as "Minister of Education," in his own phrase, being appointed Vice-President of the Council. The most significant of his reforms was perhaps the new education code promulgated in 1895, which introduced the principle of intermittent inspection in place of annual examinations only. He prolded facilities for teaching the blind and the otherwise defective, mentally or morally. In the apportionment of grants he favored the policy of considering the suitable needs of individual schools and districts. He introduced into the teaching schedule of elementary schools an extension of the "object lessons" commonly adopted in kindergarten schools, as a kind of steppingstone to more advanced technical work. Another reforming influence was his insistence on good buildings and sanitation.

After leaving Parliament in 1898, Sir Arthur acted as Chairman of the Consultative Committee of the Board of Education from 1905 to 1918, and he was the first Chairman of the Executive Committee of the Imperial College of Science, being also a member of the Privy Council Committee on Industrial Research.

Sir Arthur was the third son of Sir Thomas Dyke Acland, Bt., himself a notable educationist and a lifelong friend of Mr. Gladstone, and was educated at Rugby and Christ Church, Oxford. He was appointed steward of his old college in 1879, and in 1884 succeeded Mr. Arnold Toynbee as senior burzar of Balliol. Sir Arthur succeeded his brother in the baronetcy in 1919. He had some years previously declined a peerage. His only son, who succeeds to the baronetcy, is the Right Hon. Francis Dyke Acland, who filled several important offices during Mr. Asquith's Administration.

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Jewel Salesmen in Paris Often Dupe Women Buyers

Traveller Advised to Avoid Buying "Bargains" Overseas—Sharper Promises Not to Tell Customs Officials and Then Proves Informer

The newest system of smuggling jewels into the United States is costing women, who are the chief offenders, a great deal more money than the regular duty. The plan is a clever one and attractive to feminine economy. It is simply this:

The victim is approached in her Paris hotel by a jewel salesman, and gems are offered to her with the guarantee the sale will not be reported to customs authorities, as all regular sales are. Therefore she need not declare them on landing, and can save the duty, which frequently runs as high as 100 per cent.

If this attractive offer is accepted, the salesman, immediately after the transaction is closed, hastens to the American Customs Office in Paris and reports that Mrs. So-and-So has upon her person diamonds valued at so many thousands of dollars.

Mrs. So-and-So, all unconscious of this treachery, does not declare the gems on reaching New York, is searched and the jewels are found. Then she must pay double duty, plus the fine, and the informer, under the law, receives twenty-five per cent.

That's the game.

Record Year Ending

Thus suave salesmen, habitues of the leading tourist centres, found always in lobbies of the highest class hotels frequented by American visitors to Paris, are winding up the most prosperous year in their history, a history replete with highly profitable jewel sales, says a writer in The New York World Magazine. And most of these sales on the toilet are made with the promise the articles may be taken into the land of the dollar entirely free of customs charges.

Sometimes this promise isn't necessary. Sometimes a mere suggestion of "no sale record; keep mum; who'll know?" may be enough to close a deal of several hundreds of thousands of dollars with a buyer. And in reality it doesn't require much urging usually to salve the conscience of the tourist of any category when the question of "getting it by the customs" is concerned. From razors carried in overcoat pockets of millionaires' kinsmen to a paste diamond hidden somewhere about the person of a fresh water college professor's wife travelling tourist third, the conscience saveing process works just the same.

It is the concealing process itself that does not work so often, for great numbers of these bargain hunters have overlooked a few little clauses in the code book of habits of the United States Government, of the plausible hotel lobby salesman and of the bargain hunters themselves.

Salesmen at Hotels

These jewel salesmen, like every sharper looking for victims, more or less establish headquarters at leading hotels. They tip hotel porters, bellhops and maids to keep on the lookout for customers. When they get a call they step up at the proper moment.

Madame has just arrived in town and received an unexpected invitation to dine at the Union Interalliee. She is frantic; her jewels have not arrived.

"How beautiful you look," the salesman remarks, and in his own cunning, inimitable fashion goes on to explain that "This lovely tiara is just what you need for that outfit."

She buys. The next morning it is ten to one she finds she has been duped. If not, she will probably be caught if she tries to smuggle the article into the United States. And if she declares it and pays full duty on it she is apt to discover she could have beaten her Paris "bargain" by a good many dollars right on Fifth Avenue.

Commissionaires do not confine their activities to the houses, real or mythical, which they represent. Salesmen even come in and ask jewelers to lend them a ring or a necklace to show to a customer. Of course, reputable houses never lend jewelry. But it shows to what ends these fellows will go in trapping their unwary victim, the woman who purposely avoids the Rue de la Paix because she is "absolutely sure her commissionaire can quote more satisfactory terms on articles of the same brilliance and value."

No Bargains in Paris

But then there is the woman who goes direct to the Rue de la Paix under the eternal illusion she can get a more sparkling gem in Paris for half the price of elsewhere. Even she is not returning home this year laden down with bargains in the monetary sense of the word.

"We sell on the standard of New York prices," a Paris merchant admitted. His company likewise maintains a big store in the American metropolis. "Our customers save no money in buying from us here rather than at home. Our prices, of course, are only a fraction of those in New York, but there is the eighty per cent duty on every piece of jewelry to consider in buying abroad. When that is paid there is practically no difference in Paris and New York prices. But over here we have the imagination, the new ideas. That's why our steady customers prefer to do their shopping in our Franch headquarters."

The occasional buyer may estimate, therefore, that she can pick up some real gems in the Rue de la Paix for a fraction of New York prices, pay cash for them, and find no apparent reason to suppose her name and the transaction will become known. She should be able easily to conceal the jewels and forget to declare them to customs officials.

But although jewelry houses deny it, flat assertions are made in some quarters that employees of the houses make absolute certainty of a buyer's identity, even trailing her to her hotel, if necessary. This information, these same quarters whisper, is immediately forwarded to United States customs agents and on the buyer's return home it is a simple matter to discover any undeclared gems. The clerk or employee who did the trailing from the Paris store would in such instances receive a share of the reward.

Gossip Informed Agents

"Twenty years ago, when Paris was considerably smaller and our office was on the Avenue de l'Opera, gossips kept the customs agents pretty well informed of jewel purchases," a United States Treasury attache said. "When anyone made a big gem deal in those days it soon became common knowledge. Now there is so much buying the news is not carried about much through gossip."

Yet the fact remains the Treasury Department has a way, as many returning bargain hunters are destined to learn on arrival in New York.

Even before the Fall homebound rush, tales of almost tragic consequences growing out of unfortunate jewel deals by Americans were repeated in Paris. Some of these came from New York custom offices through various channels.

One wealthy New York woman, it is understood, purchased a large quantity of Parisian gems and hid them away for safe conduct through the "enemy lines" at the New York pier. To her surprise and distress, customs agents dug the jewels from their cache and assessed a large fine. A reward was given in this case, but the collector was not a Paris clerk. He was, customs men say, a traveling companion of the woman, a socially prominent resident of Fifth Avenue who had accompanied her on her European trip and had actually been present when the purchases were made. He could describe every article and give the cost of each. His information, it is said, was worth several thousand dollars to him.

Mortgaged Home to Pay Fine

Persuasive powers of a hotel lobby salesman in one instance proved so great that when the distracted buyer and her husband reached New York and saw their gems seized at port they had to mortgage their home to help raise the customs assessment and fine.

From every side bargains beckon to the American buyer. And on every side the American buyer buys. And now the Fall exodus for home shores is the test of whether the purchases have been wise. Customs agents are finding evidence every day that some of them haven't been and are seriously warning tourists to avoid "bargains."

Prince Takes Lesson From Automobile King

Prince Nicholas of Rumania, Whose Hobby Is Automobiles and Motors, Being Shown Over the Ford Plant at Detroit by the Automobile King When the Prince Stopped Off at Detroit for the Purpose of Visiting the Motor Car Manufacturing Plants.

ULTRA-VIOLET RAYS TO BE USED IN ZOO

Health of Animals Affected by Lack of Pure Sunlight—Lizards Respond to Treatment

NEW YORK, Dec. 2.—Men who spend their days providing the diverse requirements of denizens of the Bronx Zoo have a new requirement to provide for today. The animals need ultra-violet rays.

Dr. W. Reid Blair, director of the New York Zoological Gardens, has determined to find out for himself just what there is in the story of the metamorphosis of Murphy, the youngest orang-utan of the London Zoo.

He has ordered enough quartz glass, which allows most of the ultra-violet rays of the sun to pass through it to cover a small cage for the animal hospital at the Bronx Zoo, in which animals which have lost their appetites and whose hair is falling out can be placed for treatment.

If it works he is going to recommend that the quartz glass be used throughout the Zoo.

Experience with Murphy is reported to have been a sufficient object lesson. Two years ago the orang-utan is said to have become crabby, grumbled over his food and lost his hair until he was almost human.

It struck the London Zoo officials that perhaps the one thing most lacking for the animals in captivity was the pure, undiluted sunlight of the great outdoors; so they tried the quartz glass.

A few years ago no one would have thought of that. Scientists did not realize that ordinary window glass stopped about eighty per cent of the ultra-violet rays. In fact, although they knew what ultra-violet rays were, they had no idea how important they were for the nourishment of all living creatures. Since these rays are invisible, they were never missed when the window glass filtered them out.

Under the quartz glass Murphy's appetite and fur improved and a whole family of little capuchin monkeys seemed to take a new interest in life when exposed to the healing rays. Even the iguana lizards, which had refused to eat and moped away during the Winter, were kept in a state of good health, according to the reports from London.

Dr. Charles V. Novack, veterinarian connected with the animal hospital in the Bronx, said today that when the quartz glass came monkeys probably would be the first recipients of the treatment.

"Monkey children particularly seem to suffer from rickets," Dr. Novack explained.

"Mercury vapor lamps with quartz glass also produce ultra-violet rays abundantly and we may do some experimenting with them also."

Men hate to display emotion, but the bride's parents may be pardoned if he sheds a few cheers.

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Chief Justice Quashes Chocolate Conviction

VANCOUVER, Dec 2.—Convictions of R. C. Purdy, Limited, confectioners, on a charge of making liquor chocolates, was quashed by Chief Justice Gordon Hunter on a stated case this morning.

In effect, His Lordship ruled that the chocolates could not be construed as liquids, that the Provincial Legislature in framing the Liquor Control Act had in mind liquids.

In this instance liquor has been used as a flavoring or as an ingredient in the manufacture of chocolates.

It might just as well be argued, commented His Lordship, that it was an infringement of the Act to have brandy sauce on the Christmas plum pudding.

In some cases, declared Mr. Gordon Scott, who was arguing the case on behalf of the Crown, brandy sauce might indeed be regarded as contravening the Act.

The concern was fined $1,000 in the police court by Magistrate J. A. Findlay, and appeal was by way of stated case.

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PHONE 11 FOR BEST RENTALS

Great Railway Parley Will Be Held in Tokio

Asia-America Through Rail and Steamer Conference Will Open in Japan in January of Next Year —Will Discuss Many Proposals

The Asia-America Through Railway and Steamer Conference is expected to be held in Tokio for several days begining January 20, under the auspices of the Ministry of Railways, according to exchanges to hand yesterday on the London Maru. A through railway and steamer service between China, Japan and America was recently proposed jointly by the Ministry of Railways, South Manchuria Railway, Chinese Government Railways and steamship companies of various nationalities working the Transpacific service. A definite plan is expected to be drafted and distributed shortly to the parties concerned by the Ministry of Railways. The proposed conference aims at the unification of passengers' tickets. A traveler can now proceed from China to Japan by a through ticket, but he must get a new one for passage from Japan to America. This inconvenience will be avoided by the coming conference. This service is expected to be extended to luggage. Here is one difficult question that stands in the way of the conference. All steamship companies on the Transpacific passenger service, excepting the Nippon Yusen Kaisha and Osaka Shosen Kaisha, are working under a passenger fare agreement. The Nippon Yusen Kaisha and Osaka Kaisha are working the service independently of the stipulated fares wtih the exception of the former's San Francisco line. It is necessary for the conference to solve the Transpacific passenger question before the principal question is decided. Participants in the coming conference are:

Many Railway Companies

South Manchuria Railway, Railway Bureau of the Government-General of Korea, Imperial Japanese Government Railways, Chinese Government Railways, Santa Fe Railroad, Southern Pacific Railroad, Western Pacific Railroad, Northern Pacific Railroad, Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul Railway, Union Pacific Railroad, Chicago, Burlington & Quincy Railroad, New York Central Railroad, Baltimore & Ohio Railroad, Pennsylvania Railroad, and Canadian Pacific Railroad.

Nisshin Kisen Kaisha, Harada Kisen Kaisha, Nippon Yusen Kaisha, Osaka Shosen Kaisha, Dollar Line, Admiral Oriental Line, and Canadian Pacific Steamships.

COASTGUARDS WIN AGAINST ELEMENTS

RESCUE CREW OF FREIGHTER THOMAS MAYTHAM AFTER STRENUOUS BATTLE

Message From Master of Stricken Vessel States Crew Safe—Ship Aground Off Point Isabelle

CLEVELAND, Dec. 2.—Eagle Harbor, Mich., coastguards won a battle with heavy seas today in their efforts to save the crew of the Thomas Maytham, Cleveland freighter, of the General Transit Co., aground on the Sandstone, off Point Isabelle.

Indications that the crew is safe came to Cleveland in a message received by Charles G. Bryson, general manager of the steamship company, from Captain Edmond Ricor, skipper of the ill-fated vessel.

Captain Ricor's message gave no details of the rescue of the crew of twenty-three.

CLEVELAND, Dec. 2.—Coastguards at Eagle Harbor, near Houghton, Michigan, were waging a desperate battle with the heavy seas and elements tonight in an effort to rescue the crew of the Thomas Maythew Cleveland, freighter of the General Transit Company, reported hard aground on sandstone off Point Isabelle.

The ship carried a crew of twenty-three men under the command of Captain Edmund Ricor, and was bound for Cleveland with a load of grain.

Seven other freighters, icebound in the icy waters of the West Neebish, cut off from St. Mary's River as the result of the northwest storm and freezing weather, resumed their journeys today after having been freed by tugs.

Tug Spray Picks Up Gasboat Ivy Leaf in Helpless Condition

AFTER drifting helpless in heavy seas off Jordan River for some time on Wednesday with a broken rudder, the gasboat Ivy Leaf was picked up by the tug Spray and brought into Turpel's shipyards yesterday morning. While at the yards the vessel will be cleaned and painted and thoroughly overhauled.

E. & N. RAILWAY NEW SCHEDULE EFFECTIVE NOVEMBER 21

The afternoon train for Wellington and way points will leave Victoria at 4:55 p.m., instead of 3 p.m. as at present. Also the morning train from Wellington to Victoria will arrive Victoria at 10:50 a.m. instead of 12 noon. There will also be a train from Victoria to Port Alberni daily except Sunday at 9 a.m., instead of tri-weekly as at present. The balance of schedule will remain the same.

NEW WINTER SCHEDULE TO GULF ISLANDS EFFECTIVE MONDAY, NOVEMBER 8

The steamer Otter will leave Belleville Street Wharf every Monday and Wednesday at 7:15 a.m., and every Thursday at 8 a.m., for Gulf Island points. Also the Princess Royal leaves Victoria every Tuesday at 11 a.m., calling at Port Washington, Ganges and Mayne Island en route to Vancouver.

MANY PASSENGERS TO GO OUT WITH CANADA

Bookings on Canadian Pacific Liner to Sail for Orient Next Saturday Reach Total of 1,000

VANCOUVER, Dec. 2.—Eight hundred and forty Chinese enthusiasts, bent on enjoying themselves to the full during the coming Chinese New Year festivities, will sail next Saturday, December 4, for China on the Canadian Pacific liner the Empress of Canada, flagship of the company's Pacific fleet. At the moment the passenger list stands at 1,020, with every indication of expansion.

Once again capacity cargo parcels will be carried with the refrigerator holds loaded with beef and butter.

Many prominent people are included in the passenger list, including St. Nihal Singh, the well-known Indian writer, who is en route to Colombo to take up the editorship of one of the local papers there.

Weather Report

Estevan—Part cloudy; northwest, light; 29.88; 44; light swell.

Pachena—Part cloudy; northwest, light; 29.90; 53; moderate swell.

Cape Beale—Part cloudy; east; 29.80; 50; light swell.

Carmanah—Part cloudy; west, light; 29.84; 51; light swell.

Prince Rupert—Cloudy; calm; 29.88; 44; smooth.

Alert Bay—Overcast; calm; 30.00; 46; smooth.

CANADIAN PACIFIC RAILWAY TRANSCONTINENTAL TRAIN SERVICE

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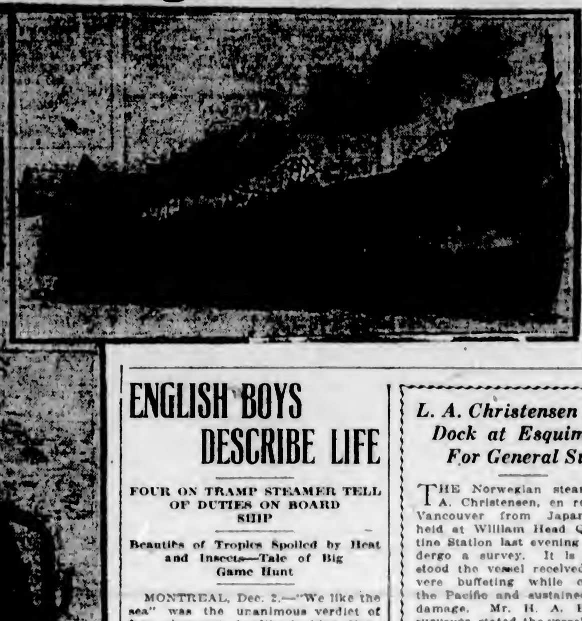

Above are shown two views of the hulk of the crack passenger-freight steamer Montreal as it lies on the mud near Sorel, after being gutted by fire. Three men were reported missing of a crew of forty, who escaped by leaping into the icy waters of the St. Lawrence. The smoldering bow of the Montreal shows the wreck made of the cabins by the flames. The bathtub in the centre evidently came from the staterooms on the upper deck, the supports of which are shown twisted like wind-driven reeds.

Ocean and Coastwise Movements

VESSEL MOVEMENTS

SEATTLE, Dec. 2.—Arrived: London Maru, Kobe; Lubrico, San Francisco; Eagle, Jacox, Tacoma; K. I. Luckenbach, Lillian Luckenbach, Portland. Sailed: Eagle, San Francisco, Kongosan Maru, Hanley, Everett; Iyo Maru, Kobe; Dorothy Wintermote, Cuprum, Henry S. Gove, Tacoma.

EVERETT, Dec. 2.—Arrived: Hanley, Seattle.

PORTLAND, Dec. 2.—Arrived: Kewanee, San Francisco; J. A. Moffet, Los Angeles. Sailed: Columbian, Boston; Ms. Chile, Hamburg; Anne Hanify, Indiana Harbor, Los Angeles; Willamette, San Francisco.

SAN FRANSISCO, Dec. 2.—Arrived: Lassen, Burrows Bay; Tuscaloosa City, Willhilo, Baltimore; Carlos, Grays Harbor; Olympic, Humboldt, Silverado, Daisy Gray, Tamalpais, Cathwood, J. C. Fitzsimmons, Admiral Fiske, San Pedro; H. F. Alexander, Seattle. Sailed: William F. Herrin, Onondaga, Daisy Gray, Seattle; Rochelle, Victoria; Betterton, Humboldt, San Pedro; Silverado, Portland; Axel Johnson, Vancouver.

Arived

HONG KONG, Nov. 30.—Oak Ridge, San Francisco.

NEW YORK, Dec. 2.—Munindies, San Pedro.

MELBOURNE, Dec. 2.—Waihemo, San Francisco.

Sailed

GREENOCK, Nov. 30.—Southwestern Miller, San Francisco.

ANTWERP, Dec. 1.—Canadian Seigneur, San Francisco.

PANAMA CANAL, Dec. 1.—Suboatco, San Pedro.

WIRELESS REPORT

Estevan, at 8 P.M.

Ontarolite—San Pedro to Ioco, 400 miles from Estevan.

E. D. Kingsley—Victoria to San Pedro, 118 miles from Cape Flattery.

British Monarch—Nagoya to Vancouver, noon, 1,535 miles from Vancouver.

Rochelle—San Francisco to Victoria, 135 miles from San Francisco.

H. W. Baxter—Masset to Victoria, 375 miles from Victoria.

Canadian Farmer—San Pedro to San Francisco, 168 miles from San Francisco.

Boren—Cairns to Vancouver, 20 miles from Cape Flattery at 8 p.m.

Canadian Observer—San Francisco to Victoria, 140 miles from Victoria.

Queenswood—Muroran to Vancouver, 855 miles from Cape Flattery.

Princess Maquinna—At Sarita, 4 p.m., northbound.

SHIPPING CALENDAR

To Arrive

Tokiwa Maru, from Orient, December 1.

President Grant, from Orient, December 2.

London Merchant, from United Kingdom, December 3.

To Sail

Empress of Canada, for Orient, December 5.

Iyo Maru, for Orient, December 2.

Africa Maru, for Orient, December 4.

C.G.M.M. MOVEMENTS

Canadian Freighter, arrived at Esquimalt November 30.

Canadian Highlander, en route Kingston to Avonmouth; arrive January 27.

Canadian Importer, left Union Bay for Chatham; arrive January 6.

Canadian Pioneer, loading Fraser Mills.

Canadian Planter, at Montreal.

Canadian Prospector, sailed for New London and Halifax November 30.

Canadian Ranger, left Montreal en route Vancouver; arrives December 30.

Canadian Seigneur, left London for Vancouver November 25.

Canadian Skirmisher, en route Kingston, Jamaica, thence to United Kingdom, arrive January 6.

Canadian Transporter, left Halifax en route Vancouver; arrives December 30.

TRANSPACIFIC MAILS
DECEMBER, 1926

China and Japan

Empress of Canada—Mails close December 4, 5 p.m. Due at Yokohama December 16; Shanghai, December 20; Hong Kong, December 23.

President Grant—Mails close December 12, 4 p.m. Due at Yokohama December 24; Shanghai, December 29; Hong Kong, January 2.

Tyndarsus—Mails close December 16, 12 noon. Due at Yokohama December 31; Hong Kong, January 11.

London Maru—Mails close December 17, 11 p.m. Due at Yokohama January 2.

President Madison—Mails close December 24, 4 p.m. Due at Yokohama January 5.

Empress of Russia—Mails close December 25, 5 p.m. Due at Yokohama January 6; Shanghai, January 10; Hong Kong, January 13.

Alabama Maru—Mails close December 30, 4 p.m. Due at Yokohama January 15.

Australia and New Zealand

Sierra—Mails close December 13, 4 p.m. Due at Sydney January 6.

Aorangi—Mails close December 15, 6 p.m. Due at Auckland January 3; Sydney, January 8.

Tahiti—Mails close January 26, 4 p.m. Due at Wellington January 17; Sydney, January 22.

Captain Beetham Opposes Erection of New Bridge

VANCOUVER, Dec. 2.—If Vancouver is going to be the Liverpool of the Pacific, a channel of 1,100 feet at the First Narrows will be inadequate.

This was the statement of Captain E. Beetham, superintendent of the Coast Service of the C.P.R., in opposing the erection of the Lion's Gate bridge at today's session of the investigating commission.

Vancouver should be able to admit to its port any ship which floats, he said.

E. J. Coyle, tugboat operator, declared that he could not emphasize too strongly that a bridge would be a grave mistake. He said there was not enough room at present in the First Narrows.

Examining Mr. Coyle, Dugald Donaghy, appearing for North Shore municipalities, endeavored to show that harbor board regulations to prevent congestion at the Narrows are not being observed by tugboats with logs in tow.

Puget Completes Schedule

SIDNEY, Dec. 2.—On Tuesday, the last automobile ferry operating between Vancouver Island and the Mainland was taken out of service, when the Puget Sound Navigation Company's steamer Puget completed her Summer schedule between Sidney and Anacortes. During the Winter months the Puget will operate between Brianoa and Seaback.

ENGLISH BOYS DESCRIBE LIFE

FOUR ON TRAMP STEAMER TELL OF DUTIES ON BOARD SHIP

Beauties of Tropics Spoiled by Heat and Insects—Tale of Big Game Hunt

MONTREAL, Dec. 2.—"We like the sea" was the unanimous verdict of four clean-cut, healthy-looking English boys, who gave their names as J. A. Brooke, J. K. Blower, J. W. Barnett and A. Bailey, and their rank as apprentices on board the steamship New Texas, an Elder Dempster tramp liner from Hull, of 4,000 tons net, now lying at her moorings at Montreal.

Their ages range from sixteen to twenty years and the round, boyish faces have not yet lost the cherubic expression of childhood. Any mother would be proud of them, but they will not be seeing their mothers again for two or three years. When the New Texas leaves Montreal next week she sails for the Cape of Good Hope, thence to Nigeria and the West Coast of Africa, and after that the boys didn't know where.

It is Brooke's and Barnett's first voyage, but discipline has already made itself felt and they left it to their seniors in the service to do the talking. Both Blower and Bailey, though under twenty, have three and two years' sea-time, respectively, to their credit, and have seen more of the earth's surface than most grown men. Boyishly they related their list of duties.

Duties Described

"We paint the sides of the ship," Blower began. "Oil the decks," said Bailey. "Do sujee—that's washing the paint work with strong soda water. No wonder our hands look red and rough," Blower continued.

"Then there's bilge diving," added Bailey, and explained that this means cleaning out that part of the ship called the bilge—the space between the lowest flooring and the hull—which receives all the drainage from the ship's cargo. "And if she's carrying palm oil it smells awful." Bilge diving had been his job on the voyage to Montreal. "And just because the buttons on our coats are clean, people seem to think we have nothing else to do but shine 'em up."

They talked of their experiences in the tropics but didn't give a button for the beauty of the Southern Cross "because," Blower said, "the nights are so disgustingly hot one can only think of the heat and mosquitoes and flies." But he cheered up at the mention of sport.

Big Game Hunting

"Once we went out big game hunting. We expected to shoot hippopotami and rhinos and lots of other animals. We went at night with a crowd of natives carrying huge torches. They were to act as guides and help bring back the bag. It looked fine and we felt grand, but when we got back to the ship, after half the party were lost and the rest up to their necks in mud, all we had was a squirrel."

All four confessed to having been seasick on their first voyage. They were enthusiastic about their officers and confessed that rightly they should have been working but the chief officer had told them they could go ashore, a highly-prized privilege, it would seem.

They have all signed on for three years and some of them at least will have grown into manhood before they get back home.

Canadian Freighter Loads at Ogden Piers

The C.G.M.S. steamer Canadian Freighter, left Esquimalt Harbor yesterday morning for Ogden Point Piers, where she will load 150,000 feet of lumber, prior to proceeding to other British Columbia ports for further cargo. Before proceeding on her voyage to the United Kingdom about the middle of next week, the ship will return here to load 350,000 feet more lumber. During her stay at Esquimalt the Freighter had her hull cleaned and painted and some minor repairs effected.

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L. A. Christensen to Dock at Esquimalt For General Survey

THE Norwegian steamer L. A. Christensen, en route to Vancouver from Japan, was held at William Head Quarantine Station last evening to undergo a survey. It is understood the vessel received a severe buffeting while crossing the Pacific and sustained some damage. Mr. H. A. Barnett, surveyor, stated the vessel might proceed to Yarrows Limited for repairs. Latest information is that the vessel will dock at Esquimalt for a general survey.

GERMAN STEAMER IS REPORTED TOTAL LOSS

Captain of French Steamer States Vessel Is Piled Up on South Coast of Langlade

ST. PIERRE-MIQUELON, Dec. 2.—The German steamer Totila is piled up, a total loss, on the south coast of Langlade, Captain Roper, of the French steamer Pro Patria, reported on docking here late today. Captain Roper sighted the Totila an hour before reaching this port. There was no sign of life aboard the steamer or on land.

A tug and a pilot boat left here this morning soon after distress calls were picked up from the Totila. The messages said she struck in a dense fog and that she was in the vicinity of Green Island. Another tug left late today after Captain Roper reported, for an effort to trace the Totila's crew. The tug was not expected to report back before morning.

The Dutch steamer Sassenheim wirelessed that she had also picked up the distress calls, but that her search for the Totila was hampered.

ST. PIERRE-MIQUELON — The Totila is a ship of 2,505 tons and sailed November 14 from Rotterdam for Montreal.

Little Damage Caused From Fire on Maasdam

VIGO, Spain, Dec. 2.—The Holland-Amerika freight and passenger liner Maasdam, which sent out SOS calls on Tuesday stating that she was afire off the Spanish coast, arrived here this morning.

The fire, which started in the third hold, was put out soon after it was discovered and the damage was comparatively slight.

Shipping Information

SUNRISE AND SUNSET
DECEMBER

Time of sunrise and sunset (Pacific Standard time) at Victoria, B.C., for the month of December, 1926.

	Sunrise	Sunset		Sunrise	Sunset
1	7:44	4:21	17	8:00	4:19
2	7:45	4:21	18	8:01	4:19
3	7:47	4:20	19	8:01	4:19
4	7:48	4:20	20	8:02	4:20
5	7:49	4:20	21	8:02	4:20
6	7:50	4:20	22	8:03	4:21
7	7:51	4:19	23	8:03	4:21
8	7:52	4:19	24	8:04	4:22
9	7:53	4:19	25	8:04	4:23
10	7:53	4:19	26	8:05	4:23
11	7:55	4:18	27	8:05	4:24
12	7:56	4:18	28	8:05	4:25
13	7:57	4:18	29	8:05	4:26
14	7:58	4:18	30	8:06	4:27
15	7:59	4:18	31	8:06	4:28
16	7:59	4:18			

TIDES AT VICTORIA

Date	Time H. M.	Ht Ft.	Time H. M.	Ht Ft.	Time H. M.	Ht Ft.	Time H. M.	Ht Ft.
1	2:12	6.3	5:35	6.3	12:08	8.2	19:43	3.9
2	4:08	6.7	6:12	6.7	12:30	8.8	20:07	3.1
3	6:21	7.2	7:05	7.1	12:40	9.1	20:34	2.3
4					12:49	9.3	21:06	1.7
5					12:58	9.6	21:43	1.0
6					13:19	9.7	22:21	0.9
7					13:48	9.7	23:03	0.9
8					14:26	9.8	23:47	1.3
9	9:40	[illegible]	12:03	[illegible]	15:27	9.6		
10	0:13	1.6	9:57	8.7	12:36	8.3	18:57	8.6
11	1:20	2.6	9:31	8.7	15:02	7.4	16:58	7.6
12	2:02	3.3	10:00	8.8	16:28	6.8	19:28	[illegible]
13	2:57	4.3	10:24	8.9	17:12	6.4	23:31	[illegible]
14	3:47	5.3	10:20	9.1	18:19	4.3		
15	0:28	5.5	4:50	6.2	11:16	9.4	19:01	3.3
16	3:51	7.2	5:32	7.1	11:43	9.7	19:41	2.3
17	4:36	7.9	5:30	7.8	12:05	9.9	20:26	1.6
18	5:52	8.8	7:20	8.3	12:36	10.0	20:51	1.2
19	6:41	8.7	8:26	8.6	12:57	9.9	21:38	1.0
20	7:24	8.0	9:28	8.8	13:16	9.8	22:12	1.1
21	8:02	9.0	10:17	8.8	13:28	9.6	22:50	1.4
22	8:45	9.0	11:15	8.8	13:49	9.0	23:29	2.0
23	9:13	8.9	12:46	8.6	14:03	8.8		
24	0:08	2.6	9:30	8.6				
25	0:42	3.3	8:34	8.6				
26	1:22	4.0	6:48	8.9				
27	1:58	4.8	10:07	8.0	15:11	6.6	22:14	5.7
28	1:41	5.9	10:23	8.9	15:44	5.9		
29					10:52	9.0	18:53	4.3
30					11:14	9.2	18:11	3.4
31					11:34	8.3	19:36	2.6

The time used is Pacific Standard for the 120th Meridian West. It is counted from 0 to 24 hours, from midnight to midnight. The figures for height serve to distinguish high water from low water. Where blanks occur in the table the tide rises or falls continuously during two successive tidal periods without turning.

The height is in feet and tenths of a foot, measured from the average level of lower low water.

Esquimalt—To find the depth of water on the sill of the drydock at any time, add 12.0 feet to the height of high water as above given.

"Is there a good doctor in this village?"

"Well, Oi judge Doctor Richardson to be best."

"Are you a good judge?"

"Me! Judge! No, Oi be t' undertaker."

BUSY TIME SEEN AT OGDEN PIERS

American Mail Liner President Grant in From Orient With Largest Cargo of Year for Discharge at This Port

GREATEST ACTIVITY SINCE DOCKS BUILT

Waiting Steamers and Refrigerator Cars Make Short Work of 2,400-Ton Cargo—Steamer Carried Mail

Ogden Point Piers somewhat resembled a beehive yesterday, when the American Mail steamer President Grant was docked from the Orient with close to 2,400 tons of freight for discharge here. Scores of longshoremen, to be exact 210, swarmed over the wharf and in the vessel's holds from 8 o'clock in the morning until well into the night loading and clearing the cargo from the ship as fast as the steam winches were able to lift it out of her holds. Every winch on the vessel was pressed into service, and many kinds of hand trucks were busily engaged.

The floor of the big warehouse was littered with an assortment of produce and goods that is seldom seen around the waterfront. Japanese oranges were most conspicuous, but there were hundreds of cases of tea, bales of Oriental matting, bags of rice, and hundreds of cases of mixed freight. Another prominent display, but not from the Grant's cargo, was the stacks of cased liquor, including Scotch whisky, gin, and a general assortment of other liquors, which had been unloaded from other ships. This was guarded by a stalwart official, who was ever alert to see that the odd case did not slip over the side of the wharf.

98,000 Bundles of Oranges

The Japanese orange shipment totalled 98,000 bundles, a large part of which was for transshipment via Canadian National and C.P.R. to points throughout Canada. As fast as these were taken from the ship's holds, longshoremen, Canadian National and Canadian Pacific employees checked and routed them to the waiting cars and steamers.

The C.P.R. had a barge opposite the dock with twelve cars on board and the Princess Louise docked opposite to the Grant. From the wharf the oranges were rapidly moved and placed in the waiting cars and steamers. When the Louise received her cargo, she was followed by the Motor Princess and Charmer.

The Canadian National's share was loaded into waiting refrigerator cars and taken out on the ferryboat to Port Mann. A large part of the tea and oranges was trucked to Point Ellice and went thence by car to Patricia Bay where they were taken to Port Mann on the ferryboat. The C.N.R. handled about 40,000 bundles of oranges and 770 cases of tea, while the C.P.R. transported about 50,000 bundles of oranges and much other cargo. A big shipment was consigned to local dealers.

Heavy Mail Shipment

Exclusive of the oranges, 250 tons of mixed freight was discharged here and forty bags of mail. For Seattle the vessel carried 1,800 bags of mail and several thousand tons of cargo. Her silk shipment amounted to 1,889 bales. In her passenger accommodations the liner had forty-five cabin and ninety-nine steerage. Fifteen left the ship at this port.

Among the prominent passengers on board the liner was Mr. E. Lackey, private courier and guide of Chicago, who is en route home from his seventeenth trip to the Far East. Mr. Lackey's business of taking tourists over interesting parts of Japan, China and the Philippines has carried him to the Gobi Desert, Manchuria, Siam and many other places of interest.

Mr. J. J. Lonkhwijzen, director of health in the Dutch East Indies, who is returning home to Holland after seventeen years' service in that country, reported that steady progress was being made in educating the natives along better lines of health and hygiene. He declared the death rate to be declining each year due to the work of his department.

Many Doctors Employed

"Our greatest difficulty is the combatting of the many infectious diseases," the visitor said. "At the present time we have five hundred and fifty doctors working in the interests of the population of Java, he continued. Out of this number two hundred are Europeans, two hundred are Javanese and the remaining one hundred and fifty are military doctors," Mr. Lonkhwijzen declared.

During the last eight years there has not been a single case of cholera in Java, declared the health director, while in neighboring districts in the Straits Settlements and the Philippines there have been many cases of this dreaded infection.

Iyo Maru Cleared for Far East Yesterday

The N.Y.K. liner Iyo Maru cleared from this port yesterday afternoon at 5.30 o'clock outbound for the Far East. Five passengers, two first and three steerage, boarded the ship here. A heavy cargo, consisting mostly of machinery, automobiles and general merchandise was carried on the vessel consigned to Japan.

Observer Expected Today

The Canadian Observer, of the Government Merchant Marine coastwise service is expected to reach Ogden Point this morning from California. The vessel is bringing in about sixty tons of freight for discharge here. She will clear for Vancouver from here.

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2 DEATHS

ROWE—At the Shaughnessy Hospital, Vancouver, B.C., on November 30, there passed away James ("Daddy") Rowe, of Victoria, B.C., aged sixty-seven, after a lingering illness. Besides his widow, he leaves to mourn him one daughter, of Vancouver, B.C., and one son, Mr. J. A. Rowe, of this city.

The funeral will take place on Friday, December 3, from C. F. Edwards' Funeral Parlors, Broadway West, Vancouver, B.C.

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10 COMING EVENTS

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ALEXANDRA Hall—Dance Saturday, 8.45 to 11.45. Hunt's "Victorians." Prizes.

A TURKEY ticket for every ten bid at Burnside Lawn Bowling Club, Saturday night socials. 8 prompt.

COME, and bring "Ethyl," and have a "Marvelubious" time at Imperial Oil, Ltd., employees' dance, Alexandra Ballroom, Friday, December 10. Osard's five-piece. Spot prizes. Supper. Tickets at all Imperial Oil Service Stations.

COME and bring "Ethyl" and have a "Marvelubious" time at Imperial Oil, Ltd., employees' dance, Alexandra ballroom, Friday, Dec. 10. Osard's 6-piece. Spot prizes. Supper. Tickets at Imperial Oil Service Stations.

COURT Triumph's Bazaar, at 2.30, Friday, A.O.F. Hall, Cormorant St.

ELK Lake Athletic Club second annual ball, Agricultural Hall, Saanichton, Friday, December 3. Bert Zala's five-piece orchestra. Admission: Gentlemen $1, ladies 50c, supper included. Special Flying Line bus will leave the Library at 8.00 p.m., and return after dance.

LAKE HILL Community Centre Third Annual Country Fair, Wednesday, December 8, will be opened by Mrs. S. F. Tolmie, at 3 p.m.

LUXTON Hall Dance, Friday, Dec. 3, 9-1. Pitt's orchestra. Admission 50c.

NOVELTY dance, Esquimalt Good Times Club, Rex Theatre, Friday, Dec. 3. Tombola prize. Admission 35c. All welcome.

PARTNER whist game Saturday, A.O.F. Hall, 8.30. Turkeys and other good prizes.

R.A.O.B. PRIDE of Victoria Lodge 4667, will hold its annual banquet at the Chamber of Commerce, Saturday, Dec. 4, 7.30 p.m. All Buffaloes and their friends welcome. Tickets from the secretary or phone 2666R.

RUMMAGE Sale, O.E.S., corner Head St. and Esquimalt Road, Saturday, December 4, at 10 o'clock.

SATURDAY, December 4, commencing 8.30 p.m., Eagles' Military Five Hundred and Dance. New Eagles' Hall, Pandora and Douglas Streets. Good prizes. Admission 25c.

10 COMING EVENTS (Continued)

TURKEY shoot, Yew Tree Farm, Langford, December 6, 12 noon.

V.A.S.C. GENERAL meeting will be held at the Crystal Garden, Friday, December 6, at 8 p.m.

W.A. TO Canadian Legion whist drive tonight, 8 o'clock. Half ton coal, highest score; two specials and other good prizes. 626 Courtney Street.

13 WANTED—MALE HELP

BOARDING house, short distance from Victoria, requires man and wife to look after same from Dec. 14. About 20 boarders, but cook supplied. Apply Box 626, Colonist.

CITY of Trail—Notice to Workmen—Workmen intending coming to Trail are hereby notified that there is already considerable surplus of labor in the city, and anyone coming is liable to disappointment and useless expense.—Wm. E. B. Monypenny, City Clerk.

EVENING Classes, Tuesday and Friday evenings. Commercial, civil service, secretarial, wireless, collegiate and preparatory courses. Sprott-Shaw School.

SALESMAN and canvasser; salary and commission. Only a go-getter need apply. 718 Yates.

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IN THE YEARS TO COME

WILL you still be at that $25-a-week job, or will you be making real money or be in business for yourself? Now is the time to think it over, to make up your mind. Why not be an expert Auto Mechanic and join the big pay army. Learn the Auto business now at Canada's Biggest Trade School. INTERNATIONAL ENGINEERING SCHOOLS, 610 View St. Phone 7866.

If at all, why not the Best?

16A SALESMEN AND AGENTS

AGENCY open. Product in demand. Free tuition in selling. 119 Regina Ave. Phone 6661Y2.

MAKE money at home—Men and women can earn $1 to $2 an hour in spare time writing showcards. No canvassing or soliciting. We instruct you and supply you with work. Write today. The Menhenitt Company, Limited, 64 Dominion Building, Toronto.

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14 WANTED—FEMALE HELP

COOK-GENERAL wanted, modern bungalow. Phone (mornings), 3144L.

CAPABLE children's nurse to take complete charge of month-old baby and child of three, references required. Phone 6624R.

EVENING Classes, Tuesday and Friday evenings. Commercial, civil service, secretarial, wireless, collegiate and preparatory courses. Sprott-Shaw School.

EVENING Classes—Shorthand, typewriting. New Era School, Hibben-Bone Block. Phone 2862.

LADIES, be independent. Apply Victoria Hairdressing College, Woolworth Bldg.

MARCEL and curl, 35c; shampoo, 25c, children's haircutting, 15c. Victoria Hairdressing College, over Woolworth's.

SHAMPOOING, marcelling, paper curling, curling, haircutting, manicuring, at reduced prices. Phone 3560. B.C. School of Hairdressing, second floor Sayward Bldg.

WANTED, young girl for light duties in exchange for room and board, $5 per month. 781 Fairview Road.

WANTED—Cook-general; references. 366 Armit Road.

WANTED—Woman to help on goat ranch, inside and outside. Must have experience. Miss Payne, Sidney, Vancouver Island.

WANTED—Experienced cook for country hotel. State wages wanted, give references in first letter. Box 665, Colonist.

WANTED—Stenographer for law office. Must be fully experienced, law work. Address Box 656, Colonist.

17 SITUATION WANTED—MALE

A BOY wants to work in store, or as delivery boy. Phone 3166.

EXPERIENCED young men wants country work. Box 674, Colonist.

GARDENS made tidy and put in shape by experienced man. Phone 6228X.

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17A PAINTERS AND DECORATORS

PAPERHANGING, painting, experienced. 50c per hour. Phone 7376R. C. Bean.

17C CARPENTERS

ALTERATIONS—Roofs, repairs, garages and fences built. Phone 6471Y. 1612 Vining St.

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JOBBING and repairs attended to. Phone 6124X. Satisfaction given. Prices right.

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17E GARDENERS

ROSES, pruned and sprayed; borders trenched and planted, lawns laid. Phone 7364L.

18 SITUATIONS WANTED—FEMALE

COOK requires position. 6673L.

EXPERIENCED cook, hotel, restaurant, tearoom, desires position at once, references, no objection to country. Phone 6645L.

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21 PERSONAL

A BEAUTY salon is opened in the Stobart Bldg., Yates St., by Miss Coles, from Hugo's, New York. Phone 3867.

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SWAN MARINELLO, 406 Pemberton, 626 Fort Street. Try our marcel and curl, 75c; haircut, 25c. Expert work. Phone 6778.

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25 DANCING

VICTORIA Studio of Dancing, Stocker Building. Miss Farrington. Phone 8110, after 2.

22 TO EXCHANGE

A GOOD heater to exchange for good size fire basket. Phone 4182L.

TRADES of all kinds at F. F. Higgs, 203 Pemberton Bldg.

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23 EDUCATIONAL

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SPROTT-SHAW SCHOOL—Affiliated with the Business Educators' Association of Canada. Courses include Commercial, Secretarial, Collegiate, Preparatory, Radiotelegraphy. Day School. Night School. Telephone 26 for prospectus. Jas. H. Beatty, Managing Director.

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VICTORIA SCHOOL OF EXPRESSION,
Principal: Mrs. Wilfrid Ord.
1712 Fairfield Road Phone 4616Y

24 MUSIC

BANJO, MANDOLIN, GUITAR and all stringed instruments taught by W. H. Plowright, 1116 Broad Street. Phone 1663. Res. phone, 1111Y1. Hours, 1 to 9 p.m., except Saturdays.

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24A PIANO

LADY, successful pianoforte and organ teacher in the Old Country would like a few pupils, more as a hobby than anything else. Adult beginners preferred. 50c per lesson. Phone 8016.

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LOST—Small brown purse containing money. Phone 1560L.

LOST—Gold bar brooch with ruby in centre, somewhere in city or on street car. Phone 6644X1.

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30 TIMBER

CROWN grant and licensed timber for sale. Cruisers' reports and estimates furnished, with topographical maps. Log brokers. Girdwood & Lewis, Ltd., 117-119 Pemberton Building.

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40 FOR SALE—MISCELLANEOUS

40B CLOTHING, FURS, SHOES, ETC.

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ECONOMY Wardrobe, 809 Fort St.—Men's suits, $6 to $16, overcoats from $2 to $20, ladies' coats from $3 to $26. Phone 3460.

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Walnut dining suite for ... $136
Mahogany dining suite for ... $126
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These suites have buffet, extension table, and full set of dining chairs; they are all in excellent condition, and every one is a good buy.

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AUSTRALIAN gumwood bed, full size, with box mattress. Bargain, $17.60. Island Exchange, 736 Fort Street.

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DINING suite, comprising buffet, 6-ft. pedestal extension table and set of six dining chairs. The lot for $66. British Furniture Mart, 746-747 Fort St.

F.O. EX. dining table, three leaves, six diners to match, with leather seats, in A-1 order. Snap, $36.50. Island Exchange, 736 Fort Street.

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WANTED—Discerning buyer for beautiful mahogany bedroom suite, hand-made in England, several fine engravings and old etchings. Sell very cheap, privately. Phone 5180.

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40E MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS

BEAUTIFUL Gerhard Heintzman piano, seen at Miss Elliott's, 2431 Currie Road. Owner, Miss Brick, 2356½ Portland Street, Los Angeles.

CABINET gramophones at $46 and $26. British Furniture Mart, 745-747 Fort St.

FOR Sale—Holton, C melody saxophone; A1 condition; complete with case, $100. Phone 2076.

HEINTZMAN Classic, nice tone, good condition. No dealers. Box 706, Colonist.

PLAYER-PIANO, in good condition, $660. Phone 6446L.

PIANOS—If you are interested in a good player piano, or a really choice English Collard & Collard piano in rosewood, see The British Furniture Mart, 745-747 Fort Street.

WILLIS 88-note player piano, mahogany, in first-class order. Snap, $376. Island Exchange, 736 Fort Street.

40F RADIO

FOR Sale—Philco 60-volt wet B battery; used about 2 months, good as new; $20. Also charger, one of the best, with attachment for charging 90-volt B battery; $20. Apply Box 483, Colonist or phone 4309L, after 6 p.m.

RADIO—Latest type Browning-Drake set, new National kit, new dials, U.X. throughout, General Radio transformers. New 3-tube set, dual circuit, regenerative, extraordinary loudspeaker volume, $36. One-tube professional set, batteries, tube, phones, complete, $16. Van Froome, Rita Hotel. Phone 61.

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BULBS—Give gladiolus bulbs for Christmas. Special Christmas packages, $1, $1.60, $2 and $2.50. Liberal count and wonderful value. Order early. D. D. McTavish, P.O. Box 276, Victoria, B.C.

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SMALL Lynn Oak stove with pipes, $5. Phone 1856.

STEEL range, good as new, most economical. Inspection invited. Also good bedding. Phone 6822L.

6-HOLE Monarch with w.f.; excellent condition, only $35. Carter's Stove Store, 822 Fort St. 2163 or 1623.

6-HOLE Malleable steel range, with water front, in first-class order. A bargain, $87.50. Island Exchange, 736 Fort Street.

40M GOAT DAIRIES

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FOUR good, used Singer machines. Bargains. 718 Yates.

FOR Sale, sweet cider in your own container, 80c per gallon. Just what is required for mincemeat. Apples, $1.50 per sack. Peter McNaughton, Gordon Head, B.C.

40 FOR SALE—MISCELLANEOUS (Continued)

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JOHNSON'S Electric Floor polisher and waxer for rent at $2.00 per day. Electric wiring and repairs. Bring us your curlers, irons and cords. Double sockets, 60c each. Fox & Mainwaring, 616 Fort Street.

LINOLEUM, plain grey, heavily waxed, large quantity, new condition; two ladies' white hairdressing chairs, complete foot rests; triple mirror dressers, etc., also large Quebec heater. Firth Bros., 707½ Fort St.

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ABSOLUTELY HIGHEST PRICES PAID for rags, bottles, tools, stoves, furniture, or anything you wish to dispose of. We call anywhere, any time. Phone 6186.

ABSOLUTELY best cash prices paid for ladies', gentlemen's and children's good-class DISCARDED CLOTHING. Phone 2686, or call Mrs. Wardale, 1606 Douglas St.

ALL junk you have, the Veteran Junk will buy. Phone 2621.

DON'T hesitate—Phone 3408 if you have any furniture you wish to dispose of. Our representative will call and offer current prices. Island Exchange, 736 Fort St.

GENTLEMEN'S discarded clothing bought. Best prices paid. We call. Shaw & Co., 736 Fort Street. Phone 401.

GET cash for your men's discarded clothing, shoes, etc. Four doors above Blanshard, 806 Fort Street, or phone 3460.

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OLD bicycles and parts, in any condition. Victory Cycle Works. Phone 735. 581 Johnson Street. Call any address.

PHONE 401—We buy good discarded clothing, household linen, china, silverware, jewelry. Best prices paid. We call. Shaw & Co., 765 Fort Street.

PHONE 6186—WE PAY BEST PRICES for bottles, rags, tools, stoves, furniture, or anything else you wish to dispose of. We call anywhere, any time. Try us.

VICTORIA JUNK AGENCY CO.
We Buy Junk
1616 Wharf Street Phone 1616

RAGS, bottles, furniture, old clothes, junk, etc. Best prices. Phone 6076L.

RADIO wanted with loud-speaker. Particulars, Box 704, Colonist.

RAW Furs—Cash, cheque or m.o. paid for all kinds of furs, from a weasel to a grizzly. Jas. Sloman, 1018 Clara St. Res. phone 4246Y.

WANTED—Radios and parts, any kind. Phone 736, or after 7 p.m. 6665Y.

WANTED—Best prices paid for good-class furniture, carpets, ranges, silverware and glassware. Phone 2663.

WANTED—Good second-hand rugs and carpets. Carpeteria Co., 746 Fort St. Phone 1466.

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48 ROOM AND BOARD WANTED

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WHOLESALE DRYGOODS—Turner, Beeton & Co., Ltd., wholesale drygoods importers and manufacturers. Men's furnishings, tents. "Big Horn" Brand Shirts, Overalls. Mail orders attended to.

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ATTENTION, please! Use Stocker's big van. House removals a specialty. Phone 5450.
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FELTS, Panamas, cleaned and reblocked. Fit bobbed heads, ladies and gentlemen. Victoria Hat Factory, 1317 Broad. Phone 1729.

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GARDENS planned. Pools, rock gardens, long gardens, greenhouses constructed. Phone 4759L.
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SEE the new "Undercut" portable, with standard keyboard, at our office. United Typewriter Co., Ltd., 766 Fort Street.
THE Remington portable typewriter has the same keyboard as the big machine; no shifting for figures. Is "made in Canada." Remington Typewriter Co. of Canada, Ltd., 614 View Street. Telephone 6895.

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ISLAND WINDOW & CARPET CLEANING CO., 617 Fort Street. Phone 3819. "The Pioneer Firm"
Hardwood floors waxed and polished by electric machine. W. H. Hughes, Proprietor.

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BEST dry fir cordwood, also bark and alder wood, at any lengths, and at low prices. Stag Log Long, 635 Discovery St. Phone 4954.
DRY fir cordwood, 13-in., 15-in. lengths, $6 cord. Phone 1129.
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72 PROFESSIONAL DIRECTORY

BARRISTERS
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Barristers, Solicitors, Notaries, Etc. Members of Manitoba, Alberta and British Columbia Bars. Phone 916.
Bank of Nova Scotia Bldg., Victoria, B.C.

To Out-of-Town Subscribers

Out-of-town subscribers who wish to answer advertisements in which only the telephone number of the advertiser is given, may mail their replies to The Colonist, and The Colonist will communicate such replies to the advertiser.

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SWEDISH massage, mechanical therapeutics, radiant heat, electricity. Osteopathy. Swedish System. Phone 2494. 1010L. G. Bjornsult, B.M., 515-17 Pamberton Blk.

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FINE waterfront residential property in one of the most favored areas of North Saanich. Five-room house, with all modern conveniences, beautifully landscaped grounds. An ideal home. View by appointment.
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A REAL homey home, brand new. Extra well built for any home by owner. Highest grade materials; attractive design; newest and most convenient layout. Nice locality, handy to town. Exceptionally warmly-built. This home will be admired at less than cost if sold quickly. Has quartered oak floors and special woodwork finish in main rooms, built-in bathroom and very attractive breakfast nook; a kitchen that good wives dream about, excellent hardware, roomy cupboards, and oversized bedrooms. Will be sold on terms if desired. Will be glad to show it to you if you mean business and are prepared to pay as high as $4,000. Lot is high and has nice view. Phone Dawson, 7015.
FOR Sale—6-room house, $700, easy terms. Phone 5312R.
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GREAT Snap—Close to Cook and Beacon Hill Park. Beautiful 5-roomed bungalow, fireplace, furnace, gas; redecorated. Price, with or without carpets, lino, blinds and range, phone owner, 3805.
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$1750—MODERN, cosy four-room bungalow, pantry and bathroom; lovely granite fireplace, basement. Close to school and bus. About $300 cash. Apply Owner, 2205 Scott Street.
1082 DAVIE Street, the residence of the late Molly P. Franck. To wind up the estate the executor is prepared to sell the property at the appraised value put on same by Government for succession duty purposes. It is a beautiful home in every respect, modern architecture. Lot 95 by 125. Low taxes. For particulars apply Fred Landsberg, Sole Executor, 541 Pender St.
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NORTH QUADRA DISTRICT
A MOST ATTRACTIVELY DESIGNED and conveniently planned new, 5-roomed bungalow, built on lot 55x150, soil black loam; high situation. Large porch and entrance hall, leaded glass door; large living-room with open fireplace, glass doors connect with dining-room, built-in features, all edge-grain floors, with mahogany border; two very nice bedrooms with large clothes closets; beautifully bright kitchen and pantry, all French windows; 3-piece bathroom, best porcelain fixtures; full cement basement and furnace. Nothing shoddy or skimped; a house that will stand rigid inspection. Price only $5,750.
ROBERT GRUBB & CO.
1112 Government Street, Victoria
A REAL BARGAIN. Here is your opportunity to secure, for less than cost, a splendid 9-room stucco bungalow in Oak Bay, nicely situated, treed lot. Includes large veranda, hall, big living-room with fireplace, nice dining-room, Dutch kitchen, 3 large bedrooms (space in attic for 3 more), full cement basement, furnaces; garage. Price only $5,750.
LOTS! Lots! We have a few really choice building sites, with trees and view, in quarter and half-acre plots, from $305 up. Remarkably low value. You should buy now.
R. V. WINCH & CO., LTD.
546 Fort St. Established 1890. Phone 5180
BEST Buy in Upper Fairfield. $5,250 takes this 10-roomed house on Trutch Street, furnace, garage. Temporarily divided into two flats, yielding income of 10% net on the investment. For a short time only we offer this at this very low price. Exclusive agents: Carlin Realty Co., 211 Jones Bldg.
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SWELL CASH GROCERY business. Stock at inventory, about $1,250, fixtures $955. Good going concern, established 11 years.
BOARDING HOUSE, excellent locality, going cheap on easy terms.
See
VICTORIA REALTY CO.
510 View Street Phone 3039
ESQUIMALT—Attractive home. Modern, comfortable, semi-bungalow, containing five large rooms downstairs, bathroom, pantry, etc., and two unfinished rooms in attic. Full cement basement, furnace and tubs. 1½ acres of garden, large and small fruits, garage, etc. Situated on car line and in good locality.
$4750
A. S. BARTON
110 Pamberton Bldg. Phone 2501
FOR SALE—GORGE DISTRICT, AT A HEAVY SACRIFICE. Eight-roomed residence, close to the Gorge Park, consisting of reception-room, dining-room, den, kitchen and four bedrooms, three-piece bathroom, three open fireplaces, hot water heating system. Property has a frontage of 100 feet by 500 feet in depth (more or less). For a quick sale we will accept $3,900; $1,500 cash down, balance like rent. For full particulars apply to H. G. Dalby & Co., 931 View Street, opposite Spencer's.

ONE ACRE (NO ROCK) AND FIVE-ROOMED HOUSE
FOUR miles from the city, paved road. Modern conveniences, living-room, dining-room, kitchen and two bedrooms (load garage and chicken house. Young orchard, well fenced. This place has a very unique location beside a sheltered cove on the salt water. Good boat shelter and bathing beach.
PRICE $5,000, ON TERMS.
FIFTY-SIX ACRES WITH WATERFRONTAGE
ALL cleared, with the exception of four acres in woods; excellent soil, natural water supply. There is 600 feet of sea frontage. Just off paved road. Good seven-roomed house, running hot and cold water. Outbuildings consist of barn and chicken houses. An orchard of seventy bearing fruit trees, plenty of small fruits and ornamental trees. This place is beautifully located. For full particulars and price inquire at our office.
GILLESPIE, HART & TODD, LTD.
611 Fort Street
Real Estate Bonds Insurance
GORGE—Half acre splendid garden soil, with raspberries, chicken house. Very nice 4-roomed bungalow, fireplace, city water. Extra good at $1,500, and such easy terms.
$1900 4-ROOMED semi-bungalow, 2 bedrooms, bath and toilet; all newly decorated inside and splendid order. Full basement with furnace. At this price it is a genuine bargain.
MUTUAL REALTY (CHISHOLM)
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76 HOUSES FOR SALE (Continued)

HOUSES built on instalment plan. Modern homes for sale on easy terms.
D. H. BALE, Contractor
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ADJOINING UPLANDS
The popularity of Dewdney Avenue is shown below:
TEN LOTS sold this year.
FOUR HOMES BUILT; three of them sold this Fall.
IF you are thinking of building or buying, let us show you this
NEW STUCCO SEVEN-ROOM SEMI-BUNGALOW
Very well built, hardwood floors, and other attractive features.
We also have a few choice lots left in this block at prices from $950 to $1,500.
ALFRED CARMICHAEL & CO., LTD.
At Our New Office
1215 BROAD ST. (Opposite Colonist)
Phone 5609
LOOK at these. Fairfield—$1,900—9 rooms, 3 bedrooms, 5-piece bathroom, basement; garage; close to sea. Burdett—$1,850—9 rooms, 3-piece bathroom, fireplace in living-room; ½-mile circle. St. Patrick, Oak Bay—$1,800—4 rooms, modern, basement; large lot. All above on easy terms. Bagshawe & Co., Sayward Bldg.
QUADRA STREET
CLOSE TO CITY LIMITS, IN SAANICH
NEW stucco bungalow, containing sun-room, large living-room with fireplace, attractive dining-room, modern kitchen with combination sink and laundry tub, two bright bedrooms, full cement basement, hot air furnace. Garage. Taxes less than $15 per annum.
PRICE $4,650; $1,600 Will Handle.
R. P. CLARK & CO., LTD.
View and Broad Sts. Victoria, B.C.
NORTH Quadra District—A cosy, compact 5-roomed bungalow, concrete foundation, cement floor, furnace. Reception hall, living-room, open fireplace; dining-room, built-in buffet and open fireplace, 2 large bedrooms, one with open fire; bath and toilet separate, large kitchen with enamelled laundry tubs, separate pantry. Two lovely garden lots, all fenced; close to school and 5c bus. Price $3,500; cash $1,500.
Another, 4 rooms, open fireplace. Half-acre lot, high location. Cheap. Price $1,900; cash $200, balance $20 monthly.
CROSS & CO.
Belmont House Opposite P.O.
OAK BAY—Modern semi-bungalow. Here is an opportunity to secure a real bargain. Owner leaving city. Seven rooms, large living-room, opening to dining-room with fireplace; entrance hall; den with fireplace, 3 bedrooms and bathroom downstairs and 2 large bedrooms upstairs, modern kitchen with electric range and water heater included; cement basement, furnace, tubs. Garage, cement runways. Lot 90 by 162. Real locality. Only $4,500. Exclusively by Bagshawe & Co., Sayward Bldg.
JAMES BAY HOME
$2500
REAL good home, in good location near the park, sea and car; ten minutes' walk to Postoffice. Large garden with shrubbery and ornamental trees. Entrance hall, double living and dining-room, kitchen, 5 bedrooms and bathroom downstairs; 5 bedrooms up. Everything in first-class shape, outside and in.
OAK BAY STUCCO BUNGALOW
TWO LOTS
$5250
BRAND new, very well built and attractive bungalow, conveniently planned, with large rooms. Entrance hall, living-room with fireplace, French doors leading to dining-room and hall. Dutch kitchen with breakfast nook and all up-to-date conveniences; built-in bath and special plumbing throughout; 3 large bedrooms with fitted closets. All hardwood floors; full cement basement, furnace. Cement sidewalks. Stucco garage, cement floor. Two lots. House was built specially to obtain maximum amount of light and sun.
HEISTERMAN, FORMAN & CO.
906 View Street Phone 55
WE have been instructed to sell this beautiful five-roomed bungalow before Spring, just off Oak Bay Avenue, including about $250 worth of furniture and fixtures. Nice flower garden. Entrance hall, living and dining-room divided by archway, has open fireplace, beamed ceiling, panelled walls, 3 large bedrooms, 3-piece bathroom, kitchen with cooler, screened back porch, dry basement with good furnace. Owner paid $1,550, now will sell for the very low figure of $3,800. Listing No. 135.
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A MODERN HOME SNAP
$4250—FIVE-ROOM nearly new stucco bungalow on Beach Drive. Stucco in on metal lath, edge-grain floors, and located on two nicely shelvered lots. There will be no repairs for years to come. One-third cash.
$3150—MODERN five-room bungalow, PARTLY FURNISHED. Large living-room, built-in features, furnace, on paved street in Oak Bay. One-third cash.
ALDER & SONS, LIMITED
Phone 3015 613 Broughton Street
$750 ON very easy terms for 3-room cottage, with a fireplace and range, and full of cordwood. Close to school and stage, on a two and a half acre lot.
$1,200, with a small cash payment, will buy you this fully modern 5-room house, with full cement basement, furnace, fireplace and built-in features, nice garden. Low taxes and easy terms.
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We have a 1½-STORY STUCCO BUNGALOW, situated within 5 minutes' walk of sea, park and street car. Downstairs there are five rooms and the usual offices, with parquetted hardwood floors, hot water heat, and exceptional refinements only found in a few of the higher-priced houses. Upstairs is half finished, and is designed for two more big rooms. A saving of $1,500.
$8000
J. A. WALKER & CO., LTD.
625 Fort Street Phone 1495
$3500
8-ROOMED modern house in best part of Fairfield, near sea and park. Full cement basement, furnace, wash tubs, etc. Small cash payment will handle.
WISE & CO., LIMITED
100 Pembertee Building Phone 2041.
BARGAIN IN FOUL BAY
270 BEECHWOOD AVENUE
6-ROOM semi-bungalow, newly painted, new furnace, open fireplace, built-in features. Two lots.
PRICE $3750 TERMS
R. V. WINCH & CO.
$100 CASH and the balance in small monthly payments purchases a real good four-room bungalow in Fairfield district, near Richardson Street. There is a reception hall, living-room with fireplace, two bedrooms and a very large kitchen. There is gas in the house, full cement basement and separate bath and toilet. The property is in excellent condition.
PRICE ONLY $1,375
A. A. MEHAREY
108-9 Sayward Bldg. 1507 Douglas Street
$1,500—4-ROOM bungalow garage, large lot; chicken run. 939 Kilsey Street, Esquimalt. A bargain. H. McPherson, 520 Central Building. Phone 1559.

78 HOUSES FOR SALE (Continued)

PEMBERTON & SON
$3700—GOOD five-roomed bungalow, on one of the best streets. Sitting and dining-rooms have arched entrances to a good-sized hall and passage. Space for two extra rooms in attic. Fine construction throughout.
TWO excellent lots on Jean Crescent, $2,000 the two. This is a good investment.
OAK BAY—WE SPECIALIZE IN OAK BAY
THE choicest location in Oak Bay, splendid view and sheltered. Stands on one acre of grounds, with nice trees. Not quite finished. Hardwood floors, large drawing-room and dining-room, den and four bedrooms, also sleeping porch. This is a most attractive and well-built home. Price depends on whether purchaser requires hot water heating or not. Maximum price $11,000.
We advise the purchase of Oak Bay lots. Prices are nothing to a higher level and good lots are getting scarce.
PEMBERTON & SON
926 Fort St. Phone 388 Victoria, B.C.
Members Victoria Real Estate Board
$600 TERMS—Cottage, 5 rooms; chicken house for 150 birds. 3 lots. Near cars. 1¼-mile circle.
$2500 TERMS—6-room bungalow; garage; good large garden. James Bay, 1 block from cars and beach.
PATTERSON REALTY 552 Yates
Listings wanted of properties up to $5,000 for sale or rent. Also farms.
Money to Loan at Current Rates
$2750—BRAND new four-room stucco bungalow, wall built and finished, just about ready for occupation; cement basement and furnace. Very reasonable terms.
$2500—BUNGALOW of five rooms, entrance hall and cement basement. A cosy home with glassed-in porch, hot water heat, nice garden, poultry house and garage. $500 cash, balance like rent.
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TODAY'S BARGAIN
5-ROOMED BUNGALOW IN FAIRFIELD
PRICE ONLY $2,475 CASH; OR $5,955 ON TERMS
SITUATE on a good street, within easy distance of Beacon Hill Park and waterfront, fifteen minutes' walk to the city. Attractive and modern bungalow, containing six rooms, all on one floor; open fireplace, built-in buffet, full-sized basement and garage.
THIS HOME IS IN SPLENDID CONDITION AND COULD BE MOVED INTO WITHOUT SPENDING ONE CENT IN THE WAY OF REPAIRS.
Phone or call for appointment to view.
F. R. BROWN & SONS, LTD.
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GOOD SIX-ROOMED HOUSE
ON TWO LARGE CORNER LOTS
FOR ONLY
$1400
THIS house has all modern conveniences, except basement and furnace. The rooms are large and airy, making an ideal family home. We have recently spent over $200 putting the property in first-class condition, and we can now recommend it as an exceptionally good buy. Very moderate taxes, with all local improvements paid up. Immediate possession can be had.
This is a sound investment.
HIGH LOT, Hillside Avenue, for $100.
The above are offered at "Quick Sale" prices to close an estate.
Look them over today.
SWINERTON & MUSGRAVE, LTD.
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$250 CASH—GORGE—Buys this shack with good lot; furniture consists of bed, bedstead, table, cooking stove and cooking utensils. Just the buy for a bachelor. First comer gets this bargain for $250.
ROBT. MACNICOL & CO.
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Fire and Automobile Insurance Written
LOW-PRICED HOMES
WITHIN WALKING
DISTANCE OF POSTOFFICE
VERY EASY TERMS
$1800 BUYS a comfortable seven-room dwelling on South Turner St., with lot 40x110.
$1800 BUYS six-room dwelling on Niagara Street, with lot 37x150.
$2200 BUYS seven-room dwelling on Rupert Street, facing sea, with lot 50x135.
$2500 BUYS a five-room bungalow on Superior Street, with lot 60x150.
$2750 BUYS seven-room semi-bungalow at corner of Government and Simcoe, with lot approximately 70x150.
The above are really bargains. In other words, they represent five good investments.
B.C. LAND & INVESTMENT AGENCY, LTD.
922 Government St. Phone 135
A GENTLEMAN'S HOME AND A SPLENDID PRODUCER
24 ACRES, of which there are 17 under cultivation; 2½ acres of assorted fruit trees, bearing, and a good assortment of small fruits. A new house of 12 rooms, well finished throughout, hardwood floors, hot water heating, electric light and telephone; two bathrooms, exceptionally well fitted. Barn for 5 head, poultry houses for 550 birds, brooder houses, etc. This property is nicely situated, commanding a good view. Good shooting and fishing in the district. We have been instructed by the owner to sell, value of this property not to be considered. Will accept clear title property in Victoria as part payment. We shall be pleased to give you further particulars at our office.
THE ROYAL TRUST CO.
Belmont

NOTICE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that an application will be made to the Legislative Assembly of the Province of British Columbia at its next session, by the British Columbia Electric Power & Gas Company, Limited (hereinafter called "the Company"), for an Act declaring its status and powers, and empowering the Company to acquire, construct, maintain and operate (otherwise than by direct steam power), tramways, street railways and interurban railways, or any one or more of them on any part of the mainland of British Columbia within a radius of seventy-five miles of the General Post Office in the City of Vancouver, and also on Vancouver Island within a radius of fifty miles of the General Post Office in the City of Victoria; and to purchase, take over, lease or otherwise acquire, hold, maintain and operate the whole or any part or parts of the respective undertakings, properties, both real and personal, contracts, rights, powers, privileges, immunities, concessions and franchises of any one or more or all of the following: Vancouver Gas Company, Limited Liability; Victoria Gas Company, Limited; Vancouver Power Company Limited; Bridge River Power Company Limited; Vancouver Island Power Company Limited; Burrard Power Company Limited; Western Power Company of Canada Limited, and British Columbia Electric Railway Company Limited; and of any other company or companies now or hereafter owned or controlled by the last-mentioned company (hereinafter called the "selling companies"), and empowering each of such companies to sell, lease, convey, assign or otherwise transfer to the Company, their and each of their respective undertakings or any part thereof, properties, both real and personal, contracts, rights, powers, privileges, immunities, concessions and franchises, and providing that every such power and authority may be exercised notwithstanding anything contained in any statute of British Columbia, concession, franchise, charter, by-law, contract or other document, and without any consent, order or approval whatsoever, and that no such exercise shall constitute a breach of or annul, avoid, impair or affect otherwise than as hereinafter provided, any of such contracts, rights, powers, privileges, immunities, concessions or franchises, and providing that whenever and as often as the Company shall have exercised any of the said powers in respect of any one of the selling companies, the Company shall thereupon in addition to its other rights, powers, privileges, immunities, concessions and franchises, be vested with and have, hold and enjoy all the undertaking, properties, both real and personal, contracts, rights, powers, privileges, immunities, concessions and franchises of such selling company, whether conferred on such selling company by statute of British Columbia, concession, franchise, charter, by-law or contract, or otherwise howsoever conferred on, enjoyed, held or acquired by it, so that (and notwithstanding anything contained in any statute of British Columbia, concession, franchise, charter, by-law, contract or other document, and without any consent, order or approval whatsoever) said undertaking, properties, both real and personal, contracts, rights, powers, privileges, immunities, concessions and franchises shall be vested in, held, exercised and enjoyed by the Company as fully as if specially conferred on it by statute, subject, however, to all mortgages, liens, charges and encumbrances, if any, upon the same, and providing that the Company shall thereupon be deemed to have assumed and shall thereafter be liable in lieu of such selling company for all debts, claims, demands, obligations, contracts, agreements or duties to, of, or with municipalities or others, for which the said selling company was liable, and to as full an extent as the said selling company was liable at the time of the said exercise, and that the Company shall be deemed to be substituted for such selling company in all contracts to which such selling company is a party, and that thereafter all such contracts shall be binding upon the Company and the other party or parties thereto in the same manner and to the same extent and with the same rights, privileges, immunities and liabilities as if the said contracts had originally been made between the Company and the other party or parties thereto, and providing that the Company, as payment, in whole or in part for the undertaking, properties, both real and personal, contracts, rights, powers, privileges, immunities, concessions and franchises of any such selling company, may surrender to such selling company, authorising such selling company to accept the surrender of, any shares in the capital stock of such selling company and any debentures of such selling company that the Company may hold, and also to allot and issue to any such selling company or to its shareholders, or to any one or more classes of them, shares in the capital stock of the Company of any kind and with any conditions, privileges or preferences, and/or debentures of the Company, and to so allot and issue such shares as fully paid up or as partly paid up as shall be agreed between the Company and the selling company, and for all other powers necessary, usual, incidental or conducive to the foregoing.

Dated at Vancouver, B.C., this third day of November, 1926.

FARRIS, FARRIS, STULTZ & SLOAN, Vancouver, B.C., Solicitors for the Applicants.

NOTICE

NOTICE is hereby given that an application will be made to the Legislative Assembly of the Province of British Columbia at its next Session, by the Colonial Trust Company, Limited, in liquidation (hereinafter called "The Trust Company"), acting by and through its liquidator, the Bankers' Trust Company, and the Corporation of the City of Victoria (hereinafter called "The City"), for an Act (to be known as "An Act authorizing the Corporation of the City of Victoria to acquire the assets and undertakings of the Sooke Harbour Water Company, Limited, and repealing an Act entitled 'An Act to ratify and confirm an Agreement between the Corporation of the City of Victoria and Sooke Harbour Water Company, Limited, bearing Date the Thirtieth Day of October, 1912'"), providing for the following matters and powers, namely:

1. Validating the Agreement dated First November, 1926, made between "The City" and "The Trust Company" as Trustee for the holders of debentures issued by the Sooke Harbour Water Company, Limited, by which "The Trust Company" agrees to sell and convey to "The City" and "The City" agrees to purchase for the sum of $16,558.09, with interest thereon at 7% per annum from date of said Agreement, the whole of the undertakings of the Sooke Harbour said Agreement set out, free from all encumbrances.

2. Declaring that the said undertakings are the property of "The City," subject to payments by "The City" referred to in the said Agreement, and have been acquired by "The City" as a part of its water works undertakings under the "Corporation of Victoria Water Works Act, 1873."

3. Granting to "The City" full power and authority to fulfill all the terms and provisions of said Agreement and vesting in "The City" all the franchises, rights, powers, privileges, real and personal property, easements and undertakings of the Sooke Harbour Water Company, Limited, as in the said Agreement set out, free from all encumbrances.

4. Granting full powers both to "The Trust Company" and to "The City" to execute and carry out the said Agreement and all other necessary agreements to secure full performance of the intent and provisions of the said Agreement dated First November, 1926.

5. Enabling "The City" to provide for an alternative method of payment for the said undertakings by disposing of a sufficient number of unsold debentures authorized by By-law Number 1011, entitled "City of Victoria, British Columbia, Supplementary Waterworks Loan By-law 1912," and by By-law Number 1980, entitled "Consolidated Debenture By-law, 1917," both being by-laws of "The City."

6. Repealing the Act entitled "An Act to ratify and confirm an Agreement between the Corporation of the City of Victoria and Sooke Harbour Water Company, Limited, bearing Date the Thirtieth Day of October, 1912," and assigning in and vesting in "The City" the said Agreement dated Thirtieth Day of October, 1912, and all rights thereunder.

Dated at Victoria, B.C., 1st December, 1926.

THE COLONIAL TRUST COMPANY, LIMITED (in Liquidation), Trustee for Debenture Holders of Sooke Harbour Water Company, Limited.

By BANKERS' TRUST COMPANY (Liquidator).
"G. T. BOGERT,"
Vice-President
"JOHN REID,"
Secretary

THE CORPORATION OF THE CITY OF VICTORIA.
By "J. C. PENDRAY,"
Mayor
"E. W. BRADLEY,"
Clerk of Municipal Council.

CORPORATION OF THE CITY OF VICTORIA

Tenders for Band Stand

Sealed tenders will be received by the undersigned up to noon on December 2, 1926, for the erection of a Band Stand at Beacon Hill Park, particulars of which may be obtained from the Building Inspector. Tenders must be addressed to the Purchasing Agent and marked on envelope, "Tender for Band Stand." A marked cheque for 5% of the total amount of tender, made payable to City Treasurer, must accompany each tender. The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

E. S. MICHELL,
Purchasing Agent.

City Hall, Victoria, B.C., November 26, 1926.

VOTERS' LIST

CORPORATION TOWNSHIP OF ESQUIMALT

A Court of Revision of the Municipal Voters' List for the year 1927 will be held at the Municipal Hall, Esquimalt, on Friday, December 10, 1926, at 7:30 p.m. A copy of the Voters' List may be inspected at the Municipal Hall.

G. H. PULLEN,
C. M. C.

Corporation Township of Esquimalt, November 30, 1926.

YOUNG PEOPLE SHOW DRAMATIC TALENT

"All on Account of Polly" Is Well Presented at Sidney Theatre

SIDNEY, Dec. 2.—The Dramatic Company of the South Saanich Young People's Society presented a splendid three-act comedy entitled "All on Account of Polly," in the Auditorium Theatre on Tuesday evening to a large audience, who enjoyed every moment of the play, which was so very well portrayed.

The play dealt with the family life of the "Beverlys," a wealthy household facing ruin on account of the insistent demands of their son Baldwin (Mr. Stewart Stoddard), and their two daughters, Hortense and Geraldine (Miss Margaret Mitchell and Miss Ida Heyer), and the arrival of their ward, Miss Polly Perkins (splendidly played by Miss Chrissie McNab), who loans them a large sum of money, and the reformation of the family due to her generosity and kindness.

The part of the English butler was taken by Mr. Wm. McClure, and Marie the French maid, who was plain Mary O'Brien, and spoke very Irish, was taken by Miss Doris Mitchell. The part of Mr. Peter Harleigh was taken by Mr. Peter Hawkes; Silas Young, the money-lender, by Mr. Albert Hafer; the society ladies, Mrs. Featherstone and Mrs. Chadfield by Miss Sadie Patterson and Miss Alma Heyer, and the two urchins by little Miss Leta and Master Dennis Styan, and the manicurist and hairdresser were Hazel Lamont and Janet Sherring.

The players all presented their individual parts, showing good form and excellent training, and the Rev. Mr. Lees, who managed the play, deserves great credit for his untiring efforts.

Institutes Plan for Country Store and Dance

KEATING, Dec. 2.—The directors of the Farmers' and Women's Institutes of South Saanich held a joint meeting in the rooms at Temperance Hall on Wednesday evening, at which they made final plans and appointed committees for the forthcoming country store and dance to be held in Temperance Hall on Friday evening, December 10. Ray Kinloch's three-piece orchestra has been engaged, and all preparations have been taken to assure this affair being as successful as it has proved in other years. The usual attractions of tombola prizes and lucky prizes will be offered.

Sooke News

SOOKE, Dec. 2.—Services will be held in Holy Trinity Church on Sunday at 11 a.m. by the Rev. H. W. Bolton.

The committee of the Holy Trinity Church will hold an entertainment in Sooke Hall on Tuesday, December 7, at 8:30 o'clock. The Metchosin Dramatic Club will perform the three-act humorous comedy, "Punkin Ridge." A "mystery parcel sale" will be in charge of Mrs. B. J. Hawkins and Mrs. McBride. Donations for the home cooking and candy stall will be gratefully received. The dance, which will follow, will be supplied with music by the Sooke three-piece orchestra.

On Saturday evening at 8:30 o'clock the James Bay United A team will clash with the "Sookes'" in Charter's Hall in the third basketball game of the season. The second game will be the Sooke B versus Rangers of Victoria. Art Bishop's three-piece orchestra will supply the music for the dance which is to follow the game. The refreshments will be in charge of Mrs. F. Gray.

Langford News

LANGFORD, Dec. 2.—A social evening, with dancing, having as an object the formation of a local Liberal Association, will be held at the Institute Hall, on Dunford Road, instead of in the school, as previously announced, next Saturday evening at 8 o'clock.

The school closing will be held in the schoolhouse on Friday afternoon, December 17, at 2 o'clock. The teachers and children are preparing an interesting programme and parents are requested to bring sandwiches or cake.

Services on Sunday

SIDNEY, Dec. 2.—The Rev. W. Carrol, rector of St. Luke's, Cedar Hill, will conduct the serices at Holy Trinity Church on Sunday at 11 o'clock and the Rev. A. L. Nixon, vicar of St. Michael's, Royal Oak, will preach at St. Andrew's at 7 o'clock.

SIDNEY, Dec. 2.—The pupils of the North Saanich School will hold a "Variety Concert" in the Auditorium Theatre on Tuesday, December 7 at 8 p.m., all the items being performed by the children, the proceeds to be used for the school library, and to send a gift to the Solarium.

SIDNEY, Dec. 2.—The regular meeting of the North Saanich Branch of the Canadian Legion will be held in Matthews Hall on Tuesday evening, December 7.

Bank Clearings

The clearings for the week ending yesterday were $2,066,983, as compared with $2,023,225 in the corresponding week of 1925.

THE CORPORATION OF THE DISTRICT OF SAANICH

PUBLIC NOTICE

The attention of all householders is called to the fact that they must personally report all cases of Infectious Diseases to the Municipal Health Officer, whose address is 106 Belmont Building, Victoria. Telephone numbers 364 and 5142. Persons failing to report Infectious Diseases are liable to severe penalties under the "Health Act."

C. DENTON HOLMES,
M. O. H.,
Saanich Municipality.

IN THE ESTATE OF ROBERT KERR, DECEASED

All persons having claims against the estate of Robert Kerr, late of Victoria, British Columbia, gentleman, deceased, are required to send same, with particulars of security held, if any, and verified by statutory declaration, to the undersigned on or before the 11th day of December, A.D. 1926, after which date the assets of the estate may be distributed among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which the undersigned shall then have had notice.

Dated the 12th day of November, A.D. 1926.

THE NORTHERN TRUSTS COMPANY,
Of Regina, Saskatchewan, Administrator of the estate of Robert Kerr, deceased.

Principals in Marriage Annulment Case

Above Are Shown the Home of and the Principals in the Marlborough-Vanderbilt Marriage Recently Pronounced Null and Void by the Roman Catholic Church. Upper Is Blenheim Palace, Woodstock, Oxfordshire, England, the Duke's Ancestral Home. Below, on the Left, Is the Marquis of Blandford, Their Son. In the Circle Is the Most Recent Picture of the Duke of Marlborough; and at the Right the Present Madame Balsan, Formerly Consuelo Vanderbilt, Is Shown as She Appeared in Her Early Days as the Duchess of Marlborough.

Victoria and Island Gets Place in Southern Papers

The city of Victoria and Vancouver Island have been receiving considerable publicity in California during the last few months in addition to the paid advertising that has been appearing in some of the publications in that state as a result of the joint publicity that is being carried on.

A recent copy of The Long Beach Press-Telegram, however, contains a full page in the rotagravure section of the paper illustrating this city and Vancouver Island. This was taken from the advertisement that appeared in The San Francisco Chronicle and was published by the Long Beach paper as a special feature page free of cost.

Jewelry Robber

WINNIPEG, Dec. 2.—Crashing an iron bar through a large plate glass show window, two men escaped with jewels valued at $1,000 from a downtown jewelry store early today. The loot consisted of rings, some of which contained diamonds.

TODAY'S RADIO

Programme of Principal Western Broadcasting Stations

By Courtesy of "Radio Doings"

Pacific Time Stations

CFCT, Victoria, B.C. (329.5m.)—8 a.m., New York Stock Quotations from the Board room of the B. C. Bond Corporation. 7:30 p.m., West Coast information service, courtesy of E. G. Prior & Co., Ltd. 7:30, Aunty Reba, she will announce a special competition for the kiddies. 8:05, Studio programme, including talks by Alderman Clearihue, and Mr. Harper, of the Dominion Astrophysical Observatory.

CFDC, Vancouver, B.C. (410.7m.)—4:30-5:30 p.m., Georgian Trio. 6-6:10, Evening news bulletins. 6:10-6:15, Time signals. 6:15-6:30, Announcements and theatre news. 6:30-7:30, Studio programme. 9-10, "Nabob Hour," featuring Calvin Winter and his Capitolians.

KFON, Long Beach, Cal. (233m.)—7-8 p.m., Hotel Breakers Orchestra, by remote control. 8-9:10, Long Beach Municipal Band. 9-9:15, Investment chat, Seaboard Bond and Mortgage Company. 9:15-10, Studio programme. 10-12, Elks' frolic, Lodge No. 888.

KFSD, San Diego, Cal. (245.8m.)—7-8 p.m., San Diego Police Department programme. 8-9, Studio programme. 9-10, Sally Canady Huff and her "Sunset Ensemble."

KFRC, San Francisco, Cal. (268m.)—8-9 p.m., Concert by KFRC Little Symphony Orchestra. 9-10, Studio programme. 10-11, Dance music by Walter Krauegrill's Orchestra.

KFI, Los Angeles, Cal. (467m.)—6:30 p.m., Eugene Biscling. 7, Edna Cook and Billie Henderson. 8, Aeolian organ recital. 9, Alma Frances Gordon, George Finney, baritone. 10, Studio programme.

KSFG, Los Angeles, Cal. (275.1m.)—6:30-7:30 p.m., Angelus Hour. 7:30-9:30, Crusaders Rally by Aimee Semple McPherson. 10-11, Back Home Hour.

KFQZ, Hollywood, Cal. (226m.)—8-9 p.m., Studio programme. 9-11, KFQZ Yellow Jackets.

KFVD, Venice, Cal. (205m.)—8-8:30 p.m., Crescent Bay Cities Quartette. 9:30-9:30, L. A. Railway String Quartette. 9:30-10, California Colonial Band.

KGO, Oakland, Cal. (361.2m.)—5:30-6 p.m., KGO Radio Girls. 6-6:55, Stanislas Bem's Little Symphony, Hotel Whitcomb, San Francisco. 6:55, news. 7:03, weather. 7:06, S. F. produce, grain, cotton, metals. 7:14, N.Y. stocks (closing). 7:21, S.F. stocks (closing). Silent night.

KGW, Portland, Ore. (391.5m.)—6-7 p.m., Dinner concert by the KGW Concert Trio. 7-7:30, Children's programme. 7:30-7:40, Evening [illegible] service. 7:45-8, Talk, "Prevention of Motor Vehicles Accidents," by Captain Frank Ervin of the Portland police department. 8-8:30, Weekly meeting of the KGW Movie Club. 8:30-10:30, Dance frolic featuring Cole McElroy's Dance Band. 10:30-12 midnight, Weekly frolic of the Keep Growing Wiser Order of Hoot Owls, Pantages stars and other features.

KHJ, Los Angeles, Cal. (405.2m.)—6:30-7:30 p.m., Children's hour. 7:30-8, Half hour with Burr McIntosh, "The Cheerful Philosopher." 8-10, News items, studio programme. 10-11, Dance music by Al Johnson's Marigold Gardens Orchestra.

KJR, Seattle, Wash. (384.4m.)—6:30-10 p.m., Studio programme.

KFWB, Hollywood, Cal. (252m.)—7-7:50 p.m., Rosalind Baker, Truth Tyler Flock, James Ordon, Alba and Hamilton. 9-9, Chevy Chase Orchestra. 8-10, Bill Hatch and his orchestra.

KMTR, Hollywood, Cal. (370.2m.)—7:30-8 p.m., Fitzgerald Music Company musical programme. 8-9, Special musical programme. 9-10, Special dance programme.

KNRC, Santa Monica, Cal. (238m.)—6:15 p.m., Brother Tom and his family circle. 9:10, L. A. A. A. Orchestra or String Quartette; Fay Durst, soprano; Sherman Huntee, Dorothy and Dawn Smith, Lucille Beaumeister, contralto.

KNX, Hollywood, Cal. (337m.)—3 p.m., L. A. Women's Clubs musical programme. 4, Boy Scouts' musical programme. 7, Desmond's courtesy programme. 9, courtesy programme. 11, Abe Lyman's Cocoanut Grove Orchestra.

KOMO, Seattle, Wash. (305.9m.)—6-7 p.m., Herbert Preeg's Concert Orchestra. 6:15-7:45, Dinner hour concert. 8-8:30, Studio programme. 9-10, Western Giant Cord Orchestra.

KOWW, Walla Walla, Wash. (285m.)—7-8 p.m., Service hour. 8-9, Studio programme.

KPO, San Francisco, Cal. (428.3m.)—8:30-9 p.m., Cobirie Cafe Orchestra. 9-10, Palace Hotel Rose Room Dance Orchestra. 10-11, States Restaurant Orchestra.

KLX, Oakland, Cal. (508.2m.)—8-9:30 p.m., Pittsburgh community night. 9:30-10:30, Athens Athletic Club Orchestra.

KRE, Berkeley, Cal. (256m.)—5:30 p.m., Current news. 9-12, Hotel Claremont Orchestra.

KTAB, Oakland, Cal. (303)—8-9 p.m., Studio programme. 9-10, Goat Island Goats.

KTBI, Los Angeles, Cal. (294m.)—6:15-7 p.m., Aunt Mertl — children's programme. 7-8, Exposition of International Sunday School lesson. 8-9, Rev. John McNeill of Scotland will speak.

Mountain Time Stations

CFAC, Calgary, Alberta, (434.8m.)—6-7 p.m., Ladies' Concert Trio.

KOA, Denver, Colo. (322.4m.)—6:30 p.m., Preview of International Sunday School lesson. 7, Instrumental programme by KOA Orchestra. 7:15, Studio programme.

Central Time Stations

WLIB, Chicago, Ill. (302.8m.)—11-12 midnight, songs, Correll and Gosden; Ambrose Larsen, organist, Bobby Meeker's Drake Hotel dance orchestra, romantic songs, Tommy Cnelas, baritone. 12-1 a.m., Frolic.

WFAA, Dallas, Tex. (475.9m.)—6:30-7:30 p.m., Orchestra. 8:30, Programme.

WGN, Chicago, Ill. (302.8m.)—6:45-7 p.m., request programme, Drake concert ensemble, Blackstone string quintette. 7, The Million Sing. 7:05-7:15, Old Fashioned Almanack. 7:16, Paul Ash's show, Oriental Theatre. 8, musical programme. 9, WEAF. 9:30, The Phantom violin. 10, Sam 'n' Henry. 10:10, Lichtenfeld, cellist; Herbert Johnson, pianist. 10:40-11, Songs, Correll and Gosden.

WHO, Des Moines, Ia. (526m.)—7:30-8 p.m., Programme. 8-9, Headliner. 11-12, Dance programme.

WOC, Davenport, Iowa (483.6m.)—7:30-8:30 p.m., Moorman Melody Misses. 8:30-9, WEAF. 9-9:30, WEAF. 9:30-10:30, Lecture.

WOAW, Omaha, Nebr. (526m.)—6 p.m., Hugo Heyn, marimba soloist; Emil Hofmann, pianist. 6:50, Orchestra. 9, Classical.

Eastern Time Stations

KDKA, Pittsburgh, Pa. (309.1m.)—6:15 p.m., String ensemble. 8, Concert. 9, Teaberry time.

WGY, Schenectady, N.Y. (379.5m.)—7 p.m., Hotel Van Curler dinner music. 7:30, Staff programme. 8, Musicale. 9, WGY players. 10, WJZ. 11, WJZ.

WOO, Philadelphia, Pa. (508.2m.)—11 a.m., Organ recital. 12:02 p.m., Tea Room orchestra. 4:45, Organ recital. 7:30, Hotel Sylvania dance orchestra. 8:10, Hygiene talk. 8:30, WOO tourists, WOO orchestra. 9:30, Fox Theatre orchestra. 10, Sesquicentennial concert. 10:30, Sylvania dance orchestra.

WBAL, Baltimore, Md. (246m.)—6:30-7:30 p.m., Dinner orchestra. 7:30-8, Quartette. 8-9, Trio, John Wilbourn, tenor. 9-9:30, Fitz Sisters musical sketch. 9:30-10, String quartette. 10-11, Novelty programme. 11-12, Dance orchestra.

Prince Rupert May Get Road Survey in Time

PRINCE RUPERT, Dec. 2.—Hon. T. D. Pattullo, who will return to Victoria tomorrow, conferred last night with a local committee regarding the Prince Rupert-Terrace road question. All that the Minister could promise was completion of the present road building job from the city limits to Galloway Rapids, ten miles of which should be finished within a year. Once that is done, he pledged preliminary survey to determine the most feasible route for a road to Terrace.

High Rigger Beheaded

PENDER HARBOR, B.C., Dec. 2.—W. Murray, forty, a high rigger, was instantly killed at a Jarvis Inlet logging camp north of here yesterday when struck by a cable, part of the logging equipment, which completely severed his head.

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BETROTHAL DIAMOND PHILOLOGICAL ERROR

Greek Name "Adamis" Confused With Latin "Amare," Hence Gems Formed Offerings to Venus

Confusion of Greek and Latin words may explain the use of the diamond as the stone for the engagement ring, according to Dr. Arthur D. Little, of Cambridge, Mass. Carbon, he points out, parades in the twin aspect of grime and pomp. He also tells how prospective bridegrooms may produce their own diamonds.

"In the form of soot," says Dr. Little, "carbon is black, amorphous and synonymous with dirt and grime. As coke and charcoal it is dull, porous and rapidly combustible. As graphite it is dense, lustrous, and so soft that it leaves a mark on paper. It is opaque in all these forms."

Carbon in "Society"

But carbon in society has quite a different aspect from carbon in its working clothes. There is the diamond, transparent, sparkling, brilliant with flashing color, and so intensely hard as to be well-named in Greek, "adamas," the invincible.

"Confusion of this Greek name with the Latin amare, to love," Dr. Little concludes, "may account for the frequency with which diamonds are offered at the shrine of Venus. In Sanskrit the diamond in vajra, the thunderbolt, which calls attention to the fact that diamonds of small size are often found in meteorites.

"Although graphite is a good conductor, the diamond has about the same electrical resistance as glass. Its refractive index, upon which, with proper cutting, its brilliancy depends, is far higher than that of glass, however, and the diamond is transparent to X-rays, whereas paste is opaque.

Becomes Radioactive

"Some diamonds are luminous in a dark room after exposure to sunlight, and Sir William Crookes has shown that the diamond may acquire and retain indefinitely the property of radioactivity. Many South African diamonds shine with bluish light, while those from other localities emit bright blue, apricot, red, orange or yellowish green.

"Owing to the anomalous fact that the boiling point of carbon atmospheric pressure is below its melting point, carbon volatilizes about 3,600 degrees centigrade without melting. Sir William Crookes has, therefore, calculated that under a pressure of only 'seventeen atmospheres,' carbon would liquefy at a temperature of 4,130 degrees centigrade and on cooling crystallize out as diamond. The process is not patented and is commended to any who may be contemplating a diamond wedding."

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Finance and Commerce

MARKET MOVES UPWARD AS VOLUME ENLARGES

Lower Call Money and Favorable Dividend Announcements Stimulate Buying

NEW YORK, Dec. 2.—With buying stimulated by a reduction in call money rates and favorable dividend announcements, prices resumed their upward movement today on a greater and enlarged volume of trading. U.S. Steel common crossed 149 for a net gain of more than 2 points, and Baldwin, American Smelting, Allied Chemical and General Motors closed a point or so higher.

Rails did not move up as fast, trading in those issues being restricted pending announcement of decisions on applications for higher wages, an increase of 7½ per cent, to trainmen on Eastern roads being announced this afternoon.

Call money renewed at 5 per cent and then declined to 4½ as funds began to flow back here from the interior. After the close of the market the New York Federal Reserve Bank announced that the rediscount rate of 4 per cent was unchanged.

New Peak prices in their sections were established by Frico preferred, Katy preferred and Lehigh Valley.

Time money and commercial rates were unchanged.

Total sales, 1,651,500 shares.

Bond prices churned about considerably today, but failed to make much progress in either direction. Signs of greater ease appeared in the money market, stimulating the demand for various investment issues until profit taking was encountered. Closing quotations disclosed a confusing mixture of advances and declines.

(All Fractions in Eighths)

	High	Low	Last
Allis Chalmers	87-6	87-6	87-2
Allied Chem.	144	141-3	143
Am. Beet Sugar	27-1	26-3	29-2
Am. Bosh. Mag	17-4	19-4	17-4
Am. Can	63-6	62	62-3
Am. Car & Fdy.	106	103	103
Am. Locomotive	109-4	109	109-4
Am. Smelters	135-2	133-6	134-3
Am. Steel Fdy.	44-2	44-5	44-6
Am. Sugar	84	83	84
Am. Sum. Tob.	41-6	40-4	41-5
Am. Tel. & Tel.	149-4	143	149-4
Am. Tobacco	120-1	160-1	120-1
Am. Tobacco B.	119-2	119	119-2
Am. Woolens	33-3	62	33-7
Anaconda	47-6	47-6	47-5
Armour A.	17-3	15-4	19-4
Atlantic Gulf	39-6	33-3	33-6
Atchison	159-3	156-1	155-2
Baldwin Loco	106-3	155	190-5
Baltimore & Ohio	106-2	106-5	105-3
Bethlehem Steel	47-6	49-6	47
Brooklyn Manhat.	72	70-4	76
California Pack'g	56-6	63-4	38-4
California Pete	31-3	31	31-3
Can. Pacific	164	164	164
Central Leather	7-6	7-3	7-6
Cerro De Pasco	62-6	63-6	62-3
Chandler pfd.	66-5	63-6	62-6
Chesap'ke & Ohio	161-4	160-3	161-4
Chi. Gt. Western	8-6	8-6	8-6
Chi. Mil. & St. P.	9-6	9-6	9-6
Chi. & Northwest	77-3	76-7	77-3
C. M. & St. P. pfd.	20	60	20
Chi. R. I. & Pac.	66-7	63-3	93-3
Chrysler Motor	37-7	36-2	37-3
Coco Cola	193	199-5	188
Col. Fuel & Iron	43-2	40-4	43-2
Columbia Gas	60-2	60	90
Cons. Gas	111	110-6	110-7
Cont. Can.	73-6	76-6	73-6
Cont. Oil	21	21	21
Cont. Motor	11-6	11-6	11-3
Corn Products	50-7	49-4	30-6
Crucible Steel	77-4	75	77-4
Cuba Am. Sugar	27-1	37-1	37-1
Davison Chem.	66	26	66
Del. Lack. & West.	142	145	145
Dodge Bros.	53-6	23-5	68-6
Dodge Bros. pfd.	81-6	81-6	81-6
Dupont Powder	154	106-6	164-2
Elec. Power	17-4	17-4	17-4
Engineer Gold	4	4	4
Erie	68-6	68-4	[illegible]
Erie First pfd.	46-4	49-2	46-4
Famous Players	119-7	116-4	119-4
Foundation Co.	81	81	81
Fleischmann Co.	60-4	46-3	49-3
General Asphalt	89-1	87-6	88
General Cigar	80-7	36-6	38
Gen. Electric	87-7	97-3	87-3
Gen. Motors	142	139-6	140-5
General Petroleum	68-4	96-4	68-4
Goodrich Rubber	41-6	41-6	41-6
Granby	36	64-6	36
Great North. Ore.	19-2	19-3	19-3
Great North. pfd	80-3	80-2	80-6
Gt. West Sug.	107-3	107-3	107-3
Gulf States Steel	36-4	63-4	66-4
Houston Oil	69-4	69-4	69-4
Howe Sound	40-6	40	40-4
Hudson Motor	47-6	46-6	47
Hupp Motors	20-3	20-6	90-3
Illinois Central	120	130	130
Imperial Oil	37-2	37-6	37-6
Inspiration	66-6	26-9	29-9
Int. Comb Eng.	44	42-4	42-4
Int. Pete	31-4	61-1	31-4
Int. Mer. Marine	7-4	7-4	7-4
Int. Mer. Mar. pfd	36-7	37-7	37-7
Int. Nickel	39-6	38	38-1
Int. Tel. & Tel.	117-5	119-6	116-3
Kan. City South	43-4	42-5	46-6
Kennecott Copper	63-2	63-6	63-1
Lehigh Valley	66-4	96	96-3
Louisiana Oil	13-2	16-3	16-2
Louis. & Nash	136-2	133-2	133-2
Mack Truck	101-2	98	99-4
Manhattan Elec.	47	47	47
Marland Oil	36-2	55-3	66-2
Mex. Seaboard	6	6	9
Miami	16	16-7	15-7
Mid. Cont'nt Pete	61-4	31	91-4
Miss. Pac. pfd.	86-4	29-3	89-3
Montana Power	83-7	32-7	83-7
Montgomery Ward	66-7	95-3	66-5
Moon Motor	13-6	16-6	16-3
Motor Meter	13-6	13-2	13-6
Motor Wheel	35-6	26-4	35-5
Nash Motors	55-7	66-6	56-6
National Biscuit	63-2	98	98-3
Natl. Cash Reg	40-6	40-2	40-3
Natl. Dairy Prod.	71-4	70-6	71
National Lead	152	133	133
Norfolk & West	163-4	158-4	168-4
North American	49-4	48-4	49-2
Northern Pacific	79-5	79-6	79-6
N. Y. Central	134-7	134	134-2
N.Y. N.H. & Hart.	42-4	42-3	42-6
N.Y. Ont. & West	66-6	23-6	66-6
Packard Motor	36-1	34-4	36-1
Pan. American	62-2	62-2	62-2
Pan. American B.	93-7	64-1	62-3
Pennsylvania R.R.	59-6	26	66-1
Pere Marquette	112-4	116-7	112-4
Phillips Pete	59-4	65-7	56
Pierce Arrow	33-2	[illegible]	33-3
Producers & Ref.	16-2	1?-3	19-2
Pullman Co.	196-3	186	139
Pure Oil	27-1	37-1	27-1
Radio	63	57-3	67-3
Ray Cons.	16-2	19-1	16-6
Reading	89-4	36	88-3
Rep. Iron & Steel	66-4	85-4	66-4
Royal Dutch	46-6	49-2	46-2
Savage Arms	87-4	97-4	97-4
Schulte	47-4	47-1	47-2
Sears Roebuck	55-2	64-6	64-4
Shell Union	60-4	60-4	30-4
Sinclair Cons.	19-3	18-3	10-1
Sloss Sheffield	127	127	127
Southern Pac.	105-1	106-4	109
Southern Railway	116-6	115-4	116-4
Standard Gas	66-9	65-4	56-6
Standard Oil, Cal.	68-4	62	38-4
Standard Oil, N.J.	39-2	62-4	39-1
Standard Oil, Ind.	66	56	62
Stewart Warner	98	65-2	68
St. Louis & S. Fran.	106	100-5	102
Stromburg Carb	61-2	61-2	61-2
Studebaker	36-2	32-6	55
Stutz Motor	16	16	15
Tennessee Copper	11-6	11-6	11-6
Texas Co.	59-5	65-4	55-2
Texas Gulf Sulphur	30-3	30-3	60-3
Texas Pacific R.R.	49	46	46
Tex. Pac. C. & O.	13	16	13
Timken Roller	81-2	79-4	80-4
Tobacco Prod. A.	113-7	113-7	113-7
Transcont. Oil	4-2	4	4
Union Pacific	169-0	166-4	169-4

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FOREIGN EXCHANGE

NEW YORK, Dec. 2.—Foreign exchanges firm. Quotations in cents.
France—6.99½, cables 3.84½.
Italy—4.28, cables 4.26.
Belgium—13.90
Germany—23.78½.
Holland—39.94½.
Norway—26.87.
Sweden—26.97
Denmark—26.61½
Switzerland—19.26.
Spain—15.20.
Greece—1.59
Poland—.1176.
Czecho-Slovakia—2.36.
Jugo-Slavia—1.76¾
Austria—.1412½
Rumania—.62½
Argentina—40.62½.
Brazil—16.66¼.
Tokio—42.16½.
Shanghai—69.14½.
Montreal—100.07 16-16.

STERLING EXCHANGE

Demand 484 9-19; cables 494 16-16; 60-day bills on banks 480¾.

At Victoria

Buying 482½; selling 483½.

U.S. Cast Iron Pipe	624	221	226-6
U.S. Ind. Alco.	83-2	80	83-2
U.S. Rubber	69	67-3	68-6
U.S. Steel	149-2	146-6	149-1
Universal Pipe	28-3	27-3	28
Vanadium	40	40	40
Wabash	39-4	39-4	39-4
Western Pacific	34-4	94-4	34-4
Westing Elec.	93-4	68-4	68-4
White Motor	67-6	35-6	66-6
Willys-Overland	21-9	31-4	21-6
Woolworth	181-2	190	190-4
Worth. Pump	62-4	31-1	31-6
Y'gston Sh. & Tu.	86-4	86	86-4
Yel. Tr'k. & Coach	20-4	27	28-4
West. Air Brake	136-6	196-2	139-5
Un. Oil, Cal.	33-7	63-6	33-7

Victoria Stock Exchange

Mining

	Bid	Asked
B.C. Silver	1.66	1.36
Dunwell Mines	.98	1.04
Glacier Creek	.05	.06½
Gladstone	.29	.61
Goldsmith	..	.17
Gleaser	..	.60
Howe Sound	39.00	41.60
Independence Gold	.07	.08½
Indian Mines	.04	.06
International Coal	.13	.13
L. & L. Glacier	..	.08
Leadsmith	..	.01½
Lucky Jim	..	.15
Marmot Metals	..	.10
National Silver, G. S.	.23	.25
Porter-Idaho	.09	.10
Premier Gold	1.66	2.06
Richmond	..	.07
Russell Creek	..	.23
Selkirks	..	.04
Silverado	..	.35
Silvercrest	..	.16
Silversmith	.33	.33
Terminus	..	.10
Oils		
B.C. Montana	.00½	.00¼
Miscellaneous		
B.C. Perm. Loan	102.00	106.00
B.C. Electric, P. & G.	102.00	104.30
Local Curb Stocks		
Edmonton Brewery	..	66.00
Coast Copper	6.00	6.25
Malaspina	..	.17

Sales

600 Premier, 2.00; 250 Premier, 2.00; 650 Premier, 2.00; 100 Premier, 2.00; 2,000 Dunwell, 1.02.

Spokane Stocks

(From Northwest Mines Investment, through R. F. Castle & Co.)

	Bid	Asked
Ajax	.03	.10
Ambergris	.08½	..
Caledonia	.08	.10½
Callahan Zinc-Lead	1.07	1.75
Gladstone Mountain	.20½	.21
Goldsmith	.14	.13
Hecla	16.00	16.60
Leadsmith	.07¼	.08
Lucky Jim	.14½	.16½
Marsh Cons.	.02¾	.03¼
Premier Gold	1.96	2.03
Richmond Cons.	.03¾	.06½
Sherman Lead	.11½	.15
Silversmith	.30	.33
Stratton	.39	.46
Sunshine	.37	.41
Tamarack	.46½	.50
Western Union	.01¼	.03

Calgary Oil Stocks

	Bid	Asked
Black Diamond	.23	..
Great West	.40	..
Midwest	.22	..
Dalhousie	1.95	1.66
Illinois Alberta	.93	..
McDougal Segur new	1.25	..
McLeod	4.00	..
Royalite	32.00	..
Vulcan	4.70	4.73

MONTREAL STOCKS

(All Fractions in Eighths)

	Close
Abitibi	90-3
Asbestos	23-4
Asbestos pfd	83-4
Atlantic Sugar	28
Bell Telephone	150
Brazilian Trac.	104
Brompton Paper	35-2
Can. Cement, com.	119-3
Can. Cement pfd	116-4
Can. Car Fdy. com.	37
Can. Car Fdy. pfd.	84
Can. S. S. com.	92-4
Can. S. S. pfd.	64-4
Can. Cottons	116
Can. Converters	103
Can. Ind. Alcohol	30
Cons. M. & S.	293
Dom. Bridge	103-6
Dom. Glass	194-4
Dom. Textile	102-4
Howard Smith	06-6
L. of Woods Mlg.	160
Laurentide Co.	108-4
Mackay Co.	126-4
Montreal Power	71-3
National Breweries	39
Ontario Steel	75-4
Ogilvie Mlg. Co.	200-3
Ottawa Power	100
Penmans, Ltd.	186
Shawinigan	271-7
Spanish River Pulp	104-4
Spanish River Pulp, pfd.	115-4
Steel of Can	116
Twin City Elec.	92-6

Bank Clearings

WINNIPEG, Dec. 2.—The following are the bank clearings for the principal cities of the Dominion of Canada for the week ending today, as compared with the corresponding period a year ago:

	1926	1925
Halifax	$3,765,651	$5,903,649
St. John	3,416,481	3,620,117
Moncton	922,436	1,050,309
Sherbrooke	810,964	611,266
Montreal	137,610,201	215,452,948
Ottawa	7,362,671	6,613,751
Kingston	746,427	620,410
Peterboro	612,078	523,341
Toronto	113,160,441	173,329,265
Hamilton	5,580,089	5,684,284
Brantford	1,321,616	1,104,527
London	3,002,593	3,632,686
Kitchener	370,085	1,030,085
Windsor	4,193,253	3,273,147
Ft. William	1,603,184	1,167,896
Brandon	746,229	637,605
Winnipeg	93,910,139	101,243,598
Regina	6,042,673	6,395,621
Saskatoon	3,612,690	3,024,161
Moose Jaw	1,677,138	1,841,604
Calgary	10,207,426	10,891,297
Edmonton	4,616,795	5,663,496
Medicine Hat	306,419	679,600
Lethbridge	673,785	741,273
New Westminster	768,615	836,254
Vancouver	16,021,706	19,338,675
Victoria	2,055,696	6,023,636

WINNIPEG MARKET LITTLE STRONGER

Millers Take Cash Wheat—Oats Receive Support From Commission Houses on Dips

WINNIPEG, Dec. 2.—Following the lead given by Chicago, the Winnipeg grain market was moderately stronger today, the close ranging from 1 cent to 1¾ cents higher.

Opening prices were fractionally lower, based on weaker Liverpool cables. A flurry of buying, attributed to shorts, brought about a sharp reaction upward. Spreading also was a factor in steadying prices. On the extreme bulge there was evidence of some pressure when the Canadian wheat pool was credited with selling. Export business was negligible.

Closing prices were: December 131¼, May 136⅝ and July 136½.

Barley was firm, while oats and rye were erratic, but both received good support from commission houses on the dips.

A fair-sized business was worked in cash wheat, millers taking the bulk of the offerings. With today's shipments a total of 137,620,000 bushels of wheat has been cleared from the head of the lakes, which is forty million below last year's figures.

	Open	High	Low	Close
Wheat—				
Dec.	129⅝	131⅛	129½	131¼
May	134½	136½	134	136⅝
July	134⅜	136⅝	136⅜	136½a
Oats—				
Dec.	54⅝	55⅝	54½	55¼
May	56¾	57⅞	59⅜	57¾
Barley—				
Dec.	61⅜	62¼	61⅜	62¼
May	66⅜	66⅜	66	66½
Flax—				
Dec.	188	189⅞	188	189½
May	197½	196¼	197	196⅝
Rye—				
Dec.	87⅜	89½	87⅜	89¼b
May	94	96½	94	96½

Cash Prices

Wheat—1 nor., 135¼; 2 nor., 131¼; 3 nor., 123¾; No. 4, 113¼; No. 5, 101¼, No. 6, 83¼; feed, 71⅛; track, 131¼; screenings, $3.

Oats—2 cw., 55¼; 3 cw., 52¼; extra 1 feed, 52¼; feed, 50¼; 2 feed, 47¾; rejected, 45¾; track, 55¾.

Barley—3 cw., 62¼; 4 cw., 57¼; rejected, 52¼; feed, 51¼; track, 62¼.

Flax—1 nwc., 189½; 2 cw., 185¼; 3 cw., 164½; rejected, 159½; track, 189½.

Rye—2 cw., 89¼.

TORONTO MINES

(Supplied by R. P. Clark & Co., Ltd.)

	Bid	Asked
Argonaut	.67	..
Atlas	.03	.03½
Baldwin	.01	.04½
Barry	.90	..
Buckingham	.04	..
West Dome	.22	..
Dome	12.60	..
Goldale	.35	.31
Hollinger	13.10	..
Hunton	.27	..
Indian	.06½	..
Kirkland Lake	.80½	.32
Lakeshore	24.10	..
McIntyre	24.60	..
Moneta	.12	.14
Wettlaufer	.03	.04
Noranda	30.60	..
Premier	1.96	1.96
Preston	.04	.04½
Teck Hughes	4.82	..
Tough Oakes	.60	.60
Vickers	1.10	..
Vipond	1.39	..
Wasapika	.01	.02
West Tree	.03	.03½
Wright Hargreaves	9.10	9.20
Night Hawk	.04½	.06
Beaver	.66	..
Can. Lorrain	.93	.96
Capital	.29½	.27½
Castle	1.16	1.16
Coniagas	4.40	4.60
Crown Reserve	.10½	..
Everett	.04	.04½
Keeley	1.64	1.59
Lakeside	.05	.05¼
La Rose	.06	.06
Lorrain	.03	..
McKinley	.10	.11½
Nipissing	6.95	..

VICTORY AND WAR BONDS

(Supplied by R. P. Clark & Co., Ltd.)

Interest due—	Will Buy	Will Sell
Victory Loan, 5½%—Tax Free		
1927, 1st June and Dec.	100.70	100.95
1933, 1st May and Nov.	104.00	104.20
1937, 1st June and Dec.	107.40	107.60
War Loan, 5%—Tax Free		
1931, 1st April and Oct.	100.80	101.05
1937, 1st Mar. and Sept.	102.06	102.60
(Payable New York)		
Victory Loan, 5½%		
1927, 1st May and Nov.	100.40	100.25
1932, 1st May and Nov.	102.40	102.50
1934, 1st May and Nov.	106.10	102.35
Dominion Loan		
1928, 16th April and Oct., 5%	100.05	100.60
1943, 16th April and Oct., 5%	101.66	101.60
1940, Mar. 1 and Sept., 4½%	95.00	95.30
1944, 16th Apr. and Oct. 4½%	96.06	96.30
1964, 1st Feb and Aug (C.N.R.), 5%		102.75

Prices subject to ⅛ of 1% brokerage.
Add accrued interest to date:
1627, 1937, 1 day, .015 per $100
1667, 1936, 1933, 1934, 31 days, 487 per $100.
1922, 1943, 48 days, 553 per $106.
1944, 48 days, .696 per $100.

VANCOUVER EXCHANGE

VANCOUVER, Dec. 2.—Today's quotations on the Vancouver Stock Exchange were:

	Bid	Asked
B.C. Silver	1.76	1.77
Howena Copper	..	.07
Cork Province	..	.05
C. M. & S.	260.00	..
Dunwell	.99	1.00
Douglas Channel	..	.01
Daly-Alaska	..	.20
Glacier	.06	.07
Gladstone	.29½	.31½
Granby	34.00	37.00
Howe Sound	40.00	42.00
Hazelton Gold Cobalt	..	.01
Independence	.07½	.06¼
Indian Mines	.04	.06½
International Coal	.14	.17½
L. & L.	.06	.07
Lakeview	..	.04
Lucky Jim	.14½	.10
Leadsmith	.07	.02½
Marmot Metals	.08½	..
McGillivary	..	.85
National Silver (G.S.)	.19	.66
Premier	1.98	2.04
Porter-Idaho	.08½	.09¼
Ruth Hope	.23	.24
Richmond	.05½	.05½
Selkirks	..	.04
Silver Crest	.06	.09
Silversmith	.33	.35
Surf	.01¾	.02½
Terminus	..	.15
B.C. Montana	.00½	.00 3-16
British Petroleum	.02½	.09
Maple Leaf	..	.22
B.C.E.R., P. and G.	104.00	..

Morning Sales—600 Surf Inlet at .02¼; 1,000 Ruth Hope at .26½, 2,600 Silversmith at .33; 206 Premier at 2.01, 200 at 2.02, 1,000 Porter-Idaho at .09, 2,000 at .09¼; 1,000 National Silver (G.S.) at .20, 1,000 British Petroleum at .02½, 3,000 Independence at .07½.

Afternoon Sales—1,060 Leadsmith at .07½; 1,000 Silver Crest at .06, 1,000 British Petroleum at .02½, 1,000 at .06.

METAL MARKETS

LONDON, Dec. 2.—Standard copper spot, £56 15s; futures, £56 10s; electrolytic spot, £64; futures, £64 15s; tin spot, £313 2s 6d; futures, £298 17s 6d; lead spot, £28 12s 6d; futures, £29; zinc spot, £33 2s 6d; futures, £33.

At New York

NEW YORK, Dec. 2.—Copper easy; electrolytic spot and futures, 13½@13⅝, tin easy, spot and nearby, 70.87; February, 66.75; iron steady, unchanged; lead spot, 8.00; zinc easy, East St. Louis spot and futures, 7.10; antimony spot, 13.87@14.00.

NEW YORK SUGAR

NEW YORK, Dec. 2.—The raw sugar market was quiet early today. Prices were unchanged at 5.02 for Cuban, duty paid, with no sales reported. The refined sugar market was unchanged at 6.05 to 6.25 for fine granulated.

Winnipeg Grain Letter

(Supplied by R. P. Clark & Co., Ltd.)

WINNIPEG, Dec. 2.—Wheat: The market continues its upward trend today. Largely led by the strength in Chicago, but there was good buying in evidence, which was believed to be largely speculative covering by shorts and spreading between here and Chicago, buying Winnipeg May and July against sales of Chicago May at the board difference of 4⅜ to 5 cents. There was little evidence of export business in local pit at any time, but still business is being done, and it is believed to have been quite large the last two or three days. Opening prices were ½ to 1 lower, with a little selling in evidence based on the weak cables, which did not follow our advance of yesterday. Prices quickly reacted as the buying developed and the market moved into higher ground on the movement. At the noon hour the market declined 1 cent, losing all early gains, but the buying again appeared and prices were carried to the high spots of the day, closing not far from the top and showing gains of from 1 to 1¾, with the distant futures the strongest. The demand for cash wheat was only fair, large for two northern and was coming from millers. Lake navigation will close December 12, and clearances from the head of the lakes are large, totalling shipments from August 1 up to 137,100,000 bushels, about 40,000,000 less than moved last year up to the close of navigation. Much of present clearances are going into Winter stock across the lakes. We believe the market will decline later when Argentine wheat is in a position to ship.

Coarse Grains: Oats and rye closed ¾ higher and barley ¼ up. Trade was not large, but commission house support appeared on all dips.

Flax: Rather erratic, but closed higher. Consumptive demand poor.

Wholesale Row

(Revised November 30, 1926)

Eggs		
Fresh Extras, doz.		.53
Fresh Firsts, doz.		.48
Pullets, Extras, doz.		.41
Butter		
Best, cartons		.39
Prints, No. 2		.35
Dairy solids		.37
Dairy prints		.31
Cheese		
B.C. large, lb.		.31
B.C. Twins, lb.		.31½
B.C. Triplets, lb.		.66
Alberta solids, lb.		.51
Alberta Stiltons, lb.		.57½
Ontario solids, lb., new, .24½; matured		.27
Ontario Twins, lb., new, .25; matured		.22
Ontario Triplets, lb., new, .25½; matured		.28½
Ontario Stiltons, Sept. make, lb.		.62½
Lard		
Pure Lard—Tierces basis, per lb.		.17½
Compound—Tierces basis, per lb.		.16
Vegetables		
Beets, new, per sack		1.66
Cabbage, per lb.	.02½	.03
Carrots, new, per sack		1.25
Cauliflower, doz.	1.60	2.00
Celery, imported, doz.		1.10
Lettuce, head, Cal.		4.00
Onions		2.60
Parsnips, per sack		6.00
Potatoes, dry belt, Gems, per sack		M.P.
Tomatoes, hothouse—		
No. 1, per crt.		4.60
No. 2		4.00
Turnips, per sack		2.00
Green Peppers, lb.		.10
Fruits		
Apples—		
Gravensteins, local	1.00	2.00
Wealthy		1.60
Alexander		1.60
Crabs, Hyslop		1.00
Bananas, uncrated		.10
Bananas, crated		.11
Cocoanuts, doz.		1.20
Grapes	2.10	3.00
Grapefruit, Florida		10.50
Grapefruit, Cal.	5.75	6.26
Lemons, case		5.75
Oranges	5.75	7.50
Pears, Bartlett's	1.00	2.50
Strawberries		2.20

MEAT

Beef, No. 1 Steers	.11½	.13
Lamb		.32
Lard	.17½	.50
Veal	.19	.20
Bacon	.40	.46
Mutton		.31
Hams	.35	.36
Chickens	.35	.67
Fowl	.26	.29
Pork		.16

SUGAR

B.C. Refinery—	
White, per hundred	6.20
Yellow, per hundred	6.60

FEED

	100 lbs.	Per Ton
Barley	$2.10	$40.00
Gr. Barley	2.20	42.00
Corn	2.60	60.00
Cracked Corn	2.70	60.00
Feed Cornmeal	2.70	62.00
Oats	2.20	46.10
Oats, ground	2.20	44.00
Scratch Food	2.70	62.00
Poultry Mash	2.60	50.00
Marvel Egg Mash	2.70	52.60

FLOUR

	Per Sk. 49 lbs.
Snowflake	$6.56
Purity	6.55
B. & K. Flour	2.66
Five Roses	6.55
Maple Leaf	6.95
Royal Standard	2.65
Royal Household	6.95
B. & K. Pastry	2.60
Whole Wheat	6.26
Quaker Flour, per bbl.	$10.22

Retail Prices

(Revised November 30, 1926)

Eggs		
B.C. Fresh Extras, doz.		.56
B.C. Firsts, doz.		.50
Pullets		.50
Vegetables		
Fresh Green Peas, per lb.		.65
Local Hothouse Tomatoes, per lb.		.10
New Potatoes, 10 lbs. for		.65
Carrots, 5 lbs. for		.26
Artichokes, Globe, each		.60
Cabbage, local, lb.		.06
Cauliflower, each	.26, .16,	.10
Celery, head	.10,	.26
Cucumbers, fresh, each	.10,	.25
Egg Plant, lb.		.16
Onions, pickling, 4 lbs. for		.66
Green Spring Onions, bunch		.16
Green Peppers, 6 lbs. for		.55
Parsley, bunch		.04
Lettuce, per head		.10
Lettuce, hothouse leaf, head		.06
Local Onions, 9 lbs. for		.26
Potatoes, local, per sack		1.75
Potatoes, sweet, 6 lbs. for		.66
Mushrooms		.26
Turnips, local, 10 lbs. for		.66
Persimmons, 4 for		.26
Vegetable Marrow, lb.		.05
Watercress, per bunch		.05
Fruits		
Okanagan Apples—		
Jonathan, box	2.50	1.36
McIntosh Red, box	2.75	1.35
Snow, box		2.75
Delicious, box		3.25
Wagener, box		2.26
Local Apples	2.75, 1.60,	1.00
Bananas, doz.	.60 and	.50
Casaba Melons, per lb.		.05
Concord Grapes, basket		1.25
Florida Grapefruit, each		.20
Figs, Cal., layer, 5-oz. pkts.		.10
Per lb.	.55	.66
Grapes, seedless, lb.		.12
Grapes, Malaga, lb.		.30
New Navel Oranges, doz.	.60, .46	.70
Lemons, doz.		.30
Oranges, new, Navel, doz.	.40, .60, .50,	.30
Jap Oranges, box		.86
Filbert Nuts, local, per lb.		.35
Raisins, Spanish Cluster, pkg.	.60,	.66
Strawberries, 2 for		.35
Fish		
Bloaters, 2 lbs. for		.25
Cod, 2 lbs. for		.25
Cod Fillets, lb.		.25
Halibut, per lb.		.25
Soles, lb.		.15
Black Cod, fresh, 2 lbs. for		.25
Skate, 2 lbs. for		.25
Kippers, per lb.		.15
Finnan Haddies, per lb.		.30
Oysters—		
Esquimalt, doz.		.90
Olympia, per pint		.90
Smelts, per lb.		.35
Salmon, red spring		.30
Salmon, white, 2 lbs. for		.25
Crabs	.16, .20,	.25
Herring, fresh, 6 lbs. for		.25
Fresh Halibut, lb.		.30
Flour		
Quaker, per 49-lb. sack		2.65

New Incorporations

New incorporations issued at the Parliament Buildings yesterday, covering the last two weeks, are as follows:

Victor Limited (non personal liability), $10,000, Penticton; private.

Henry Darling & Son Limited, $40,000, Vancouver; private.

Northern Importing Company, Limited, $50,000, Vancouver; private.

Alex. McRae Company Limited, $10,000, Prince Rupert; private.

The B.C. Printing and Litho Limited, $250,000, Vancouver; private.

Menzies Bay Development Company Limited, $10,000, Vancouver; private.

Sitka Spruce Lumber Company Limited, $75,000, Vancouver; private.

The Canada Japanese Chop Suey House Limited, $30,000, Vancouver; private.

Princeton Garage Limited, $25,000, Princeton; private.

Vancouver Clay Products Limited, $40,000, Vancouver; private.

Mackay Produce Company Limited, $10,000, Victoria; private.

Benwell-Curran-Atkins Limited, $20,000, Vancouver; private.

Confederation Securities Limited, $70,000, Vancouver; private.

J. R. Colley Company Limited, $20,000, Kamloops; private.

Mainland Investments Limited, $10,000, Vancouver; private.

Perfect Ladies' Wear Limited, $10,000, Vancouver; private.

W. S. Fraser Company Limited, $40,000, Victoria; private.

Whiteway Laundry Limited, $25,000, Kamloops; private.

The Eagles Club Limited, $10,000, Vancouver; private.

Coast and Rocky Mountain Big Game Club of B.C. Limited, $25,000, Vancouver; private.

D.W. Mines Limited, $1,000,000, Prince Rupert; private.

Extra-Provincial company registered: Canadian Scottish Paper Limited, $150,000 and ten shares of no par value, Vancouver.

Chicago Grain

(Supplied by B.C. Bond Corpn., Ltd.)

CHICAGO, Dec. 2.—Wheat was fairly active and prices higher, with houses with Eastern connections aggressive on the buying side and found offerings relatively light. At the outside figure May showed around 3½c over the low of yesterday, while December acted tight and gained fractionally on the deferred deliveries, with some buying of December and selling of May by commission houses. Winnipeg acted rather heavy, but Minneapolis was strong, with mills buying in the latter market. Export demand at the seaboard slow. Liverpool closed ⅛ to ⅝d higher. Ocean freight rates reported as easing rapidly, which tended to check demand for cash grain. Corn showed considerable strength, advancing in the face of profit-making induced by a bulge of around 4c from inside figures of Tuesday. Undertone, however, remained decidedly strong, with prices in new ground on present upturn. Further short covering in evidence. Sentiment much less bearish than of late and commission houses had fair buying orders on the setbacks. Around 50,000 bushels corn booked to arrive. Spot basis slightly easier. Oats firmed with other grains. Minneapolis reported two million bushels sold on shipment. Charters made here for 400,000 bushels for Winter storage at Buffalo.

(Supplied by B.C. Bond Corpn., Ltd.)

	Open	High	Low	Close
Wheat—				
May	139	141¼	138⅞	141⅛
July	132⅝	133¼	126⅜	163⅛
Dec.	136	138⅝	136	163⅝
Corn—				
May	86	83¼	81⅝	82⅝
July	85	85¾	94⅝	96⅝
Dec.	72⅞	74⅝	72⅝	74½
Oats—				
May	49⅝	47⅝	49⅝	47½
July	40½	47⅛	46¼	47
Dec.	43⅛	43½	42¼	43⅝
Rye—				
May	98	97⅝	99	97⅛
Dec.	88⅛	89⅝	83	33⅝

MONEY MARKETS

LONDON, Dec. 2.—Money, 3⅝ per cent; discount rates, short and three months' bills, 4⅝ per cent.

At New York

NEW YORK, Dec. 2.—Call money easy; high, 5; low, 4½; ruling rate, 5; closing bid, 4½; time loans steady; mixed collateral, 60-90 days, 4⅝; 4-6 months, 4⅝; prime mercantile paper, 4¼@4½ per cent.

VANCOUVER WHEAT

VANCOUVER, Dec. 2.—Closing wheat quotations: Spot, 1 Nor., 136¾; 2 Nor., 132¼; 3 Nor., 125⅜; No. 4 wheat, 113¼; No. 5, 98¼; No. 6, 86¼; feed, 71¼; en route, 2 Nor., 132⅜; 3 Nor., 126¼; others same as spot. Screenings $9.25 per ton.

MONTREAL PRODUCE

MONTREAL, Dec. 2. — Butter, stronger; eggs and cheese, firm.

Butter—No. 1 Pasteurized, 38 cents.

Eggs—Storage extras, 45 cents; firsts, 42 cents; seconds, 36 cents.

Eggs—Fresh extras, 67 cents; firsts, 50 cents.

SILVER MARKETS

LONDON, Dec. 2.—Bar silver, 24 9-16d per ounce.

At New York

NEW YORK, Dec. 2.—Bar silver, 53⅛; Mexican dollars, 40¼.

FOREIGN BONDS

(Supplied by R. P. Clark & Co., Ltd.)

	Bid	Asked
French 7's, 1949	96⅝	99⅞
French 7½'s, 1941	101⅝	102⅛
French 8's, 1945	109⅝	107⅛
Austrian 7's, 1946	101½	101⅝
German 7's, 1949	106⅝	102⅝

Chicago Cash

Wheat—One h., 143; 2 ns., 139½ and 142; 3 m., 137⅝. Corn—Two m., 76, 1 y., 77½; 2 y., 76½ and 77½; 3 y., 76¼; 2 ws., 76½ and 77. Oats—Three w., 42½ and 43¼.

Riviera Flooded

NICE, France, Dec. 2.—The famous Riviera, where the sun is supposed to shine uninterruptedly the year round, is suffering, like the rest of Southeastern France, from the worst Fall season in fifty years. Two and a half inches of rain has fallen in Nice during the last twenty-four hours. Floods are raging along the coast from Marseilles to Mentone. Portions of fashionable Cannes are flooded. Nearby roads are swirling torrents.

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City of New Westminster 5%, due 1941, at $98.96	5.10%
Edmonton School District 5%, due 1953, at $96.41	5.25%
District of Summerland 5½%, due 1937, at $100.00	5.50%
Brompton Pulp & Paper Co. 6%, due 1946, at $99.75	6.00%
Republic of Costa Rica 7%, due 1951, at $95.00	7.45%

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Yesterday morning we placed on the market an issue of $250,000 GROUSE MOUNTAIN HIGHWAY AND SCENIC RESORT 6½% Bonds at 98½. Up to four o'clock we had placed $162,000.00 of these bonds, thus establishing another new record. Every bond was sold to private investors, as no part of this bond issue has been or will be sold to other dealers.

Of the bonds sold yesterday, there were 85 bonds of $100.00 each, 49 bonds of $500.00 each and 129 bonds of $1,000.00 each, thus demonstrating the keen interest and faith of the general public in this enterprise.

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We now have remaining:

115 bonds of $ 100.00 each
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61 bonds of 1,000.00 each

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Hunter Lost in Woods Dies in Severe Storm

TEMAGAMI, Ont., Dec. 2.—Becoming lost in the woods, while on a hunting expedition, Billy Cupper, nineteen, son of the local postmaster, died of exposure during the terrific snow and wind storm, which lashed Northern Ontario Tuesday night and this morning. His body was found about three miles north of here by a search party.

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—Whitewear, 1st Floor

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December Sale of Women's and Misses'

COATS

All Our Coats Reduced for This Event

Coats of Velour Cloth, with large fur collars, set-in sleeves and turn-back cuffs; trimmed with cable stitching and pin tucks. Fully lined. Popular shades **$9.90**

Coats of Reversible Tweed, with shawl collar of opossum, or collars and cuffs of mandal lamb; Velour Coats trimmed with embroidery and fancy patch pockets. Shades are grey, navy, brown, fawn and rosewood. Each **$14.90**

Coats of Tweed, Velour or Marvella Cloth, fur trimmed. Some have neat leather belts, others with side fastening effect; patch pockets and cable stitching; fully lined; all popular shades. Each **$18.90**

Coats of Marvella Cloth, Needlepoint and Velour, with fur collars of moufflon, mandal lamb and opossum; wrap-over styles; fully lined. Shades are grey, rust, navy, black and brown. On sale for **$28.90**

Coats of Marvella, Tweed and Needlepoint, wrap-over and tailored styles with fur collars and cuffs of opossum, mandal lamb and moufflon. All fully lined. Favorite shades. Each **$37.90**

Fur-Trimmed Out-Size Coats, made of blanket cloth, broadcloth and velour, with fancy applique on sides or neat pleats. Straightline effect with side fastening. Collars and cuffs of coney, Thibetine, sealine and tinted opossum. Prices ..... **$18.90 to $45.00**

—Women's Coats, Mantle Dept.

Annual December Sale of Silks

These Bargains on Sale Today

36-Inch Fancy Silks—Regular Price, a Yard $1.19, for 49c

Fancy Silks of strong texture, and suitable for dresses, tunics, etc.; all colors and designs. On sale, a yard ..... **49¢**

36-Inch Striped Spun Silk—Reg. Price, a Yard $1.98, for $1.19

An Attractive Striped Spun Silk, makes up into smart dresses; very durable and shown in a variety of colors. On sale, a yard **$1.19**

38-Inch Striped Silk—On Sale, a Yard for $1.45

A silk of strong texture, suitable for men's shirts, pajamas, etc.; wears well; good colorings. On sale, a yard **$1.45**

Figured Silk and Voile—Regular Price, a Yard $3.50, for $1.98

Figured Silk and Voile, in neat designs and attractive colorings—for dresses or children's party frocks. On sale, a yard, **$1.98**

36-Inch Navy Taffeta—On Sale at, a Yard $1.49

An excellent grade taffeta, suitable for dresses; wears well and is extraordinary value at, a yard **$1.49**

Black Duchesse Satin—Regular a Yard $1.98, for $1.00

Black Duchesse Satin of extra heavy texture, with bright finish. On sale, a yard **$1.00**

36-Inch Chiffon Velvet—Regular Price, a Yard $5.50. On Sale for $3.98

Chiffon Velvet with a close pile, well made and ideal for dresses. Very special value, yard, **$3.98**

36-Inch Colored Taffeta—On Sale, a Yard $1.98

A crisp taffeta of clear weave; in shades of sleeping beauty, powder blue, phantom red, old rose, saxe, black and navy. On sale, a yard **$1.98**

—Silks, Main Floor

Out-Size Crepe de Chine Over-Blouses

$7.95 to $12.90

A selection of smart Over-Blouses, tailored to suit the woman of ample proportions, and give smart lines to the figure; nicely finished and of good quality. They are shown in black, navy and white. Each ..... **$7.95 to $12.90**

—Blouses, 1st Floor

Four Groups of Girls' and Children's

COATS

Reduced for December Sale

Children's Blanket Cloth Coats, in green, fawn and blue; smart styles, fur trimmed. Sizes for 2, 3 and 4 years. Regular $5.75 values for **$4.45**

Velour and Blanket Cloth Coats in sizes for 2 to 6 years; plain or fur trimmed. Shown with straight back or round yoke effect and other attractive styles. Shades of rose, blue, green and saxe in the selection. Regular $7.50 values for **$5.95**

Girls' Coats of velour and blanket cloth, plain or fur trimmed. All smart styles and attractive colorings, in sizes to suit the ages 7 to 10 years at ..... **$7.95** and **$9.95**

Children's Blanket Cloth Coats, flannel lined, lovely and warm for kiddies 2, 3 and 4 years. Smart little styles, in shades of fawn, blue, henna, green. Special at **$3.45**

—Mantles, 1st Floor

Dainty Brassieres

For Christmas Gifts

A gift feminine and charming that will appeal to the discriminating woman.

Bandette Brassieres of fancy pink cotton and white tucked net. Very fine and dainty; back hook style. Each **$1.35**

Bandette Brassieres of fancy pink cotton and silk swami; back hook style, with satin straps. Each **$1.75**

Bandette Brassieres of silk jersey and fancy cotton; lace trimmed; back hook style. Each **$1.75**

Brassieres of all-over white lace, net lined; back hook bandette style. Very dainty. Each **$2.50**

—Corsets, 1st Floor

Visit Our Christmas Gift Section in the Stationery Department

Novelties in Nice Boxes

For Christmas gifts. Many useful and attractive articles. Ranging in price from **35¢** to **$3.50**

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A remarkably good selection just received and priced from **$1.00** to **$5.00**

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Waterman's Fountain Pens

A very attractive range now showing. Priced from **$2.50** to **$7.50**

Pen and Pencil Sets in cases; useful gifts. Priced from **$6.50** to **$9.00**

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For young people. Very good pens and exceptionally low priced. Each ..... **49¢, $1.00** and **$1.50**

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A gift that is laways appreciated; we can recommend them. Prices range from ..... **50¢** to **$5.00**

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—Lower Main Floor

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For Christmas Gifts

Our range is attractively complete with handkerchiefs of every design and to please every taste.

Fine Lawn Handkerchiefs, attractively boxed. Shown in white or colored effects, and embroidered in a variety of dainty designs; two and three in a box. Priced at **50¢, 65¢** and **85¢**

Boxed Gift Handkerchiefs of hand embroidered lawn, lace trimmed, Irish embroidered, in white or colors. At ..... **$1.00, $1.25, $1.50** and **$1.95**

Fine Lawn Handkerchiefs in white or colors, with embroidered corners and hemstitched border. Each ..... **15¢**

Swiss Embroidered Handkerchiefs of fine quality lawn, white or colors. Many designs to choose from. Each ..... **20¢**

Fine Lawn Handkerchiefs in white with gingham borders, colored, with embroidered or lace trimmed corners. Each, **25¢**

Novelty Handkerchiefs on art silk in all-over designs. A wonderful range of colors; also in block printed effects. Each, **25¢**

Crepe de Chine Handkerchiefs in block printed designs; 12 colors to choose from. Each ..... **15¢**

Art Silk Handkerchiefs in plain colors with contrasting striped border; hemstitch finish. Each ..... **15¢**

Novelty Voile Handkerchiefs in a choice of designs and colors. Each ..... **25¢**

White Lawn Handkerchiefs, hand-painted effects in floral designs. Something quite new. Each ..... **25¢**

Initial Handkerchiefs of pure Irish linen, with hemstitched borders. Shown in two qualities and styles of initial. At, each ..... **25¢**
And **3** for **$1.00**

White Voile Handkerchiefs, lace trimmed. Colored Linen Handkerchiefs with tatting edge. Colored Linen Handkerchiefs with hand embroidery in contrasting colors. White Linen Handkerchiefs embroidered in white. Novelty Crepe de Chine Handkerchiefs. Wonderful selection ..... **3 for $1.00**

Children's Boxed Handkerchiefs in colors or white, with a variety of nursery rhyme designs; three in a box for ..... **35¢**

Children's Colored Handkerchiefs, embroidered in nursery designs; all colors. Each ..... **10¢**

—Handkerchiefs, Main Floor

Rayon Silk Dress Flouncings and Laces

Regular Prices, 75c to $3.75 a Yard, on Sale for

19c to 75c

Rayon Silk Dress Flouncings and Chantilly Laces, wool and silk mixtures and all-silk flouncings; 27 and 36-inch. On sale, a yard ..... **19¢** to **75¢**

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—Main Floor

1,700 Pairs of Women's

SILK HOSE

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At 98c Pure Silk Hose in shades of black, silver, illusion, beige, new grey, bois de rose, French nude, atmosphere, champagne, rain, tille, Circassian, amber, powder blue, and gold.

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Tweed and Worsted Suits that will appeal to the man who appreciates a dressy appearance in his apparel. They are shown in latest models—popular six-button double-breasted and two-button styles; notch and peak lapels. Shades and patterns are the newest, such as diagonals, and diamond weaves, pin stripes and blues. All sizes, and exceptional values for, a suit **$29.75**

—Men's Clothing, Main Floor

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—Studio of Interior Decoration —2nd Floor

In the Men's Furnishings

Christmas Gift Suggestions

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The New Towel Stretch Scarf, stripes and plain colors; fringed ends ..... **$2.75** to **$4.50**

White Art Silk Scarves, in plain and fancy weaves, at attractive prices.

Silk Handkerchiefs, in plain and fancy designs; bought direct from the Scotch mills. Priced at **$1.00** to **$1.75**

Silk Handkerchiefs and Ties to match; large selection to choose from. A set, **$1.75** to **$3.00**

Men's Elastic Web Braces, in fancy Christmas boxes. A pair, **50¢** to **$1.50**

Braces, Arm Bands and Garter Sets, to match; in fancy Christmas boxes. A set ..... **$1.50** to **$3.00**

Men's Garters and Arm Bands. A set, boxed ..... **50¢** to **$1.25**

White Irish Linen Handkerchiefs, each ..... **25¢** to **75¢**

Extra Large Irish Linen Handkerchiefs, tape border ..... **50¢**

Pongee Silk Handkerchiefs with colored borders ..... **50¢** and **75¢**

—Men's Furnishings, Main Floor

Beacon Robings and Bathrobe Blankets

27-Inch Beacon Robings in the season's patterns, two-tone reversible effects and plain white. A yard ..... **98¢**

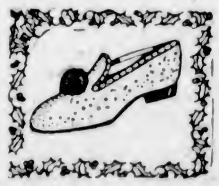
Bathrobe Blankets in floral and Indian designs and new ombre effects; make up attractively for men or women. Complete with silk girdle. **$7.50** and **$8.50**

39-Inch Heavy Beacon Cloth, for men's or women's dressing gowns; all neat designs, attractive colorings. A yard **$1.25**

—Staples, Main Floor

Christmas Slippers

For All the Family



Indian Moccasins, beautifully trimmed and beaded, genuine native work. Big choice of styles and colorings for men, women and children, at ..... **$1.95** to **$3.50**

Warm Wool Slippers in plain camel, old rose or plaid designs. Thousands of pairs, for men and women, at **$1.95, $1.45** and **95¢**
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Children's Novelty Felt Slippers, put up in picture boxes.

Bunny Rabbit style at **$1.25**

Spark Plug style at **$1.45**

Gollywog style at ..... **95¢**

Women's Boudoir Slippers, with soft leather soles and rubber heels; all colors at ..... **$2.00, $1.35** and ..... **95¢**

Women's Felt Juliet Slippers, plush band and leather soles and heels; all colors at **$1.95**

Women's Fine Quality Silk Slippers in many beautiful designs, at **$2.00**

Men's and Boys' All-Leather Slippers, in tan or black alligator and tan or black kid. Flexible leather soles and felt lined. Exceptionally good value at **$1.95**

—Shoe Sections, Main, 1st and Lower Main Floors